

THE PIRATE LOG



V. Spence

Dear Mrs. Spence,
lots of love to the best
study hall teacher I ever had
I hope your my teacher meet
year.

Blaine

Dear Mrs. Spence
lots of love to a
sweet teacher, wish
I could have had you
for every class or year
this year. I really missed
having you.

Hilma
Collings

Dear Mrs. Spence
Here's hoping I'll
be back here next year
to see you again and
continue our friendship.
Perhaps by that time I'll
have kicked the "cake"
problem and we can feast
once in awhile.
Maigie E.

Dear Miss Spence,
To someone so nice
I can hardly write
anything that would
be good enough for
a person such as
you. I really have
enjoyed being in
your study hall.
I hope to see
you again real
ly soon.

Your mother &
the bookworms would
Loving Division

Love to all
from
Miss Spence
& the bookworms
Loving Division

I thought and I thought
and I thought in vain
till at last I would
sign my name
Gloria Medina

Wrote Mrs Spence as
Gene says "May the
Good Lord take a likin'
to you" H. J. KINGSTON

Flayd
Gable
'57

Dear Mrs. Spence
Here's a lot of luck
to the sweetest
teacher ever.
Carlene

Mrs. Spence,
I have caused you
lots of trouble this year,
But you will my favorite teacher.
Pat Sorensen,

Mr. Thorpe
Sorensen

Dear Mrs. Spence:
I'm wishing you
won't have anymore
trouble in study-hall
after we leave.
a neighbor in Hanna,
Stank

Wanted: More
Study Hall
teachers like
you.
Student
& Friend
Fred

Wrote to a Swell teacher
Teacher who understands
everyone.
Lorraine Golder

Dear Vinolata,
I wish I could
have had you for a
teacher in high school.
Anyway I had you for
study hall.
Ally

Dear Mrs. Spence,
To one of the best
teachers in R.H.S.
I wish you luck
and success in
the future.
Donald K.

Dear Mrs. Spence,

etc not going to be

the same for me not yet not

having you for study tell me why you not

is the best. Have luck in anything is Bob when you are

you undertake.

Farewell from a senior,

Love

Dear Mrs. Spence,
I should have enjoyed
being in your study hall
the short time I have been
in here. I think I will
buckle down and study
like you said.
(It might
I want help
Dennis)

My dear teacher,
I wish to one of the
nicest ladies I ever
had the honor of knowing
I shall always remember
you at the B.B. game
you were my study
hall teacher. I'll back
a pound on the
pounding the

Now Mrs. Spence,
Heres to a really
Study hall teacher
helps me figure out
Sometimes - and my
Hope you'll be here next

Love
a student
a Bud
Nelson

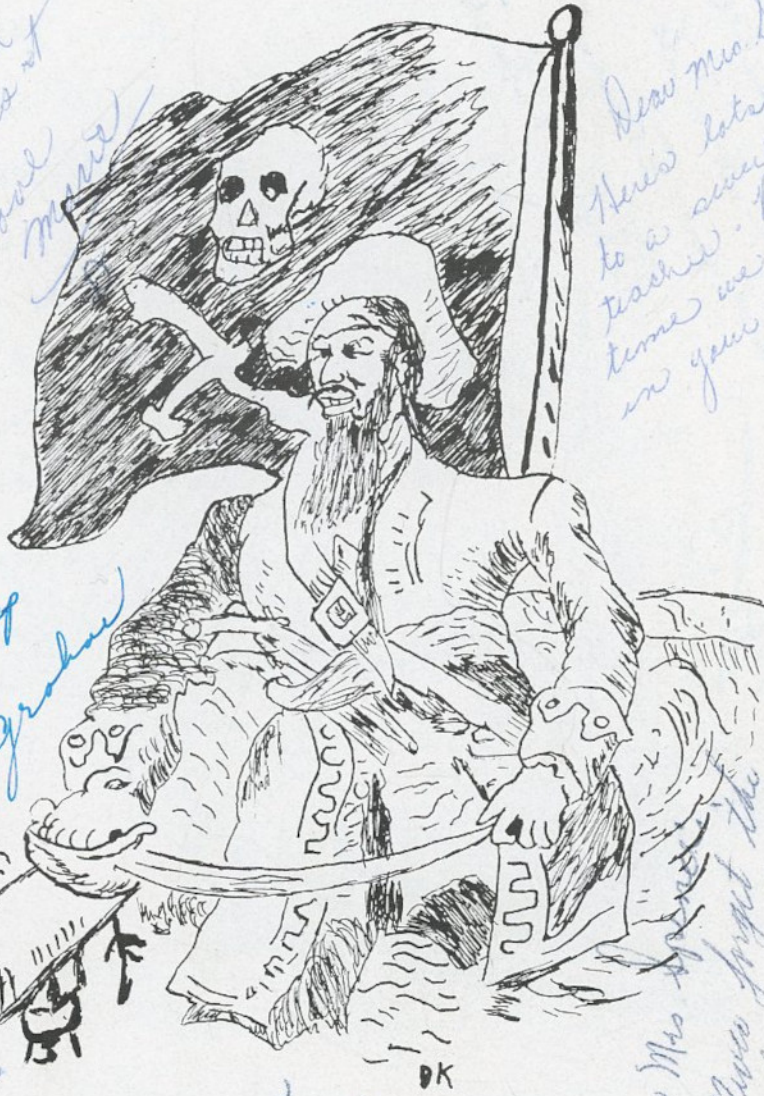
Dear Mrs. Spence,
Loads of love to
you all study hall
teacher I hope you be
back next year and
have you again. I hope
Carol and I haven't given
you too much trouble
with our galsing.

Love
Shirley

Dear Mrs. Spence,
best thing to the
whole teaching for the
school lots
of love in the
house

Dear Wendala
well this looks
like the last mile
far all of us
And all of us
Missing will be
much, you very

PIRATE LOG



Dear Mrs. Spencer,
I have really
enjoyed being assigned
during my years of
Reliance. Love
me!
Mavis

Dear Mrs. Spencer,
There's lots of luck
to a swell study hall
teacher. Remember the
times we played the
game in your study hall.
Jane Rapp

Vendee!
Really nice
to have friends
in town. I have kept
a good
D. Graham

Dear Mrs. Spencer,
I've forgot the
character parties nor
your study unit at
all times. Hope we
meet again, if not my
Reliance in Salt Lake
Marilyn Thompson

Dear Mrs. Spencer,
I've been wishing
a swell teacher
lots of the success
Loni

Dear Mrs. Spencer,
I've been wishing
the best for you
Luck
Rick

Class of '50

RELiance HIGH SCHOOL
RELiance, WYOMING

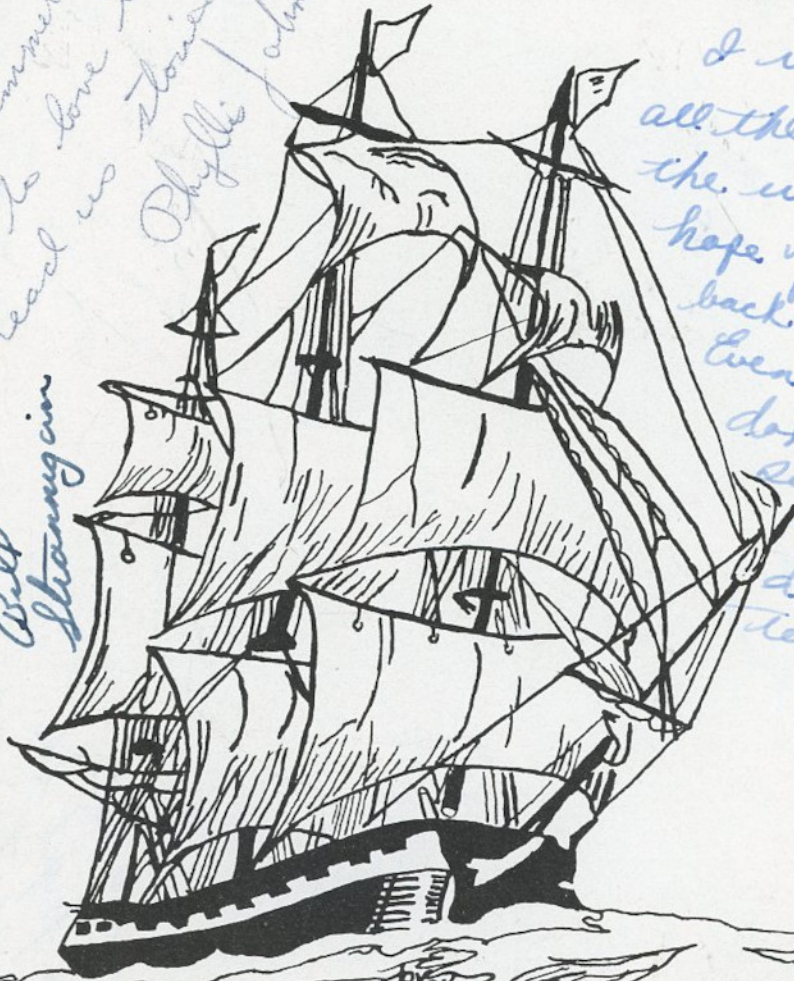
FOREWORD

May the following pages serve to bring back many happy memories
in the years to come.

Dear Mrs. Spence,
Have enjoyed having
you. Lots of luck in
the years to come.
Jack Edwards.

Dear Mrs. Spence.
I wish you
all the luck in
the world. I
hope you come
back next year.
Even if you & I
don't get along
sometimes
you're still
a very nice
teacher.

Chris
Williams



DEDICATION

We the senior class dedicate this annual to our parents with a sincere
appreciation for the sacrifices they have made to provide our education,
making possible the publication of the 1950 Pirate Log.

Dear Mrs. Spence.
Lots of luck to the
excellent teacher in
Belmont. Sure wish
I had you for a teacher.
Dedicated by
the senior class

Dear Mrs. Spence.
Lots of luck to
a swell teacher.
I know how to
play Canasta.
Bill
Shannon

Dear Mrs. Spence
I wish you all the
luck and success in the
world. I remember when
you used to love to have
me read to you. I hope
you read us stories
Phyllis Johnston

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Best of luck
and success to a
very small teacher
even though I wasn't
in your class.
Joy

Melvin Kueren

Jack and Jessica
a small teacher
I will always remember
you as the teacher who
brought me to an
I don't know a word
I will always remember
you as the teacher who
brought me to an
I don't know a word

Best of luck to a
very small teacher
even though I wasn't
in your class.
Joy

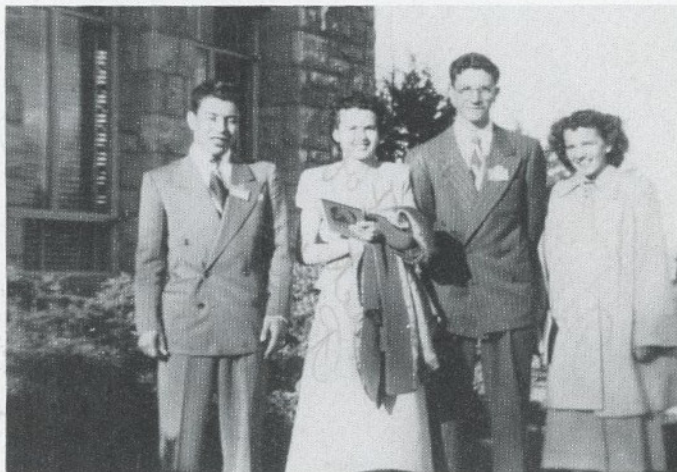
Don't know a word
I will always remember
you as the teacher who
brought me to an
I don't know a word

THE STAFF

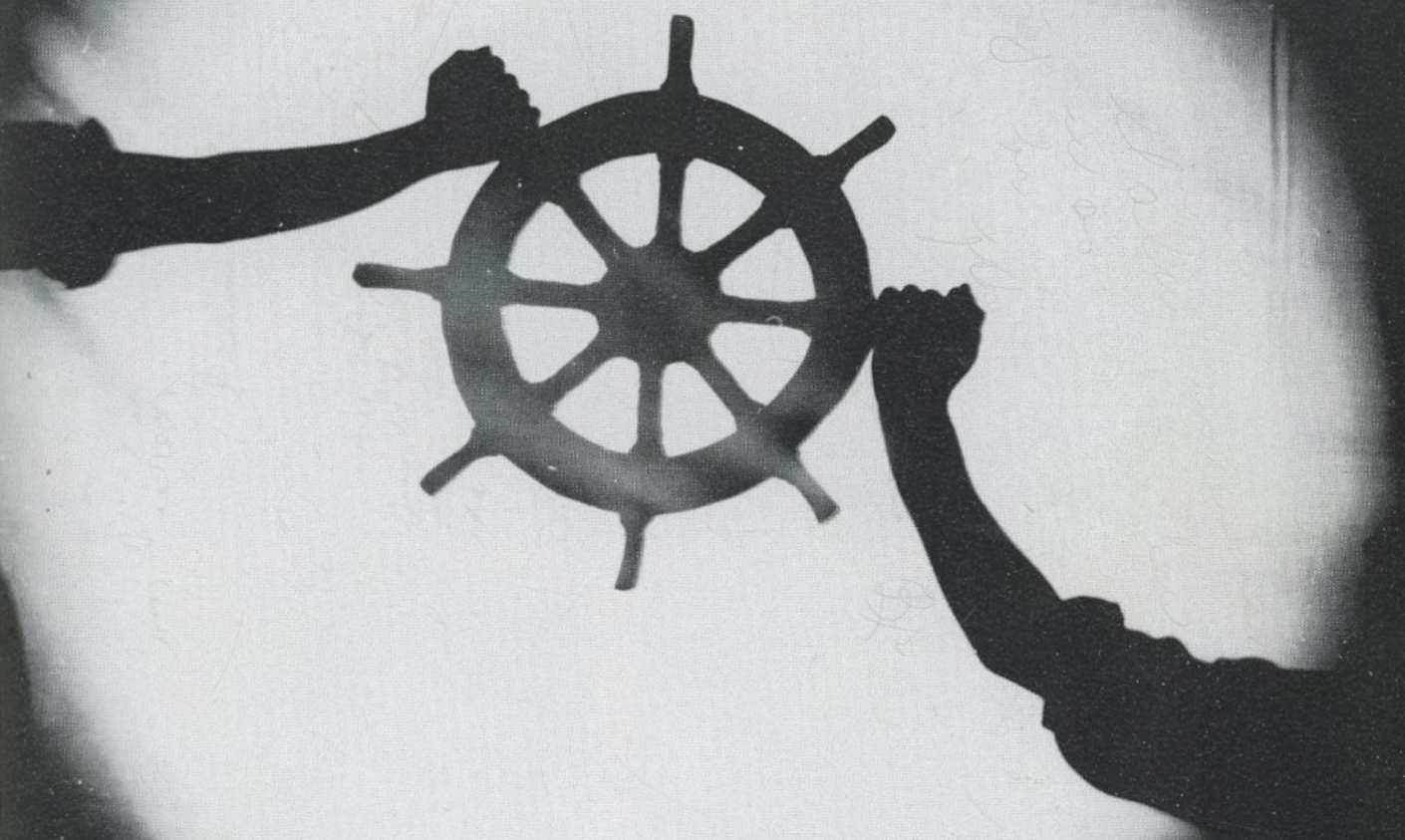


Front row, left to right: Audrey Sims, Carmelita Lumsden, LaRue Goddard, Genevieve Lowe, Jenny Poljanec and Miss Black, sponsor.

Back row, left to right: Beverly Williams, Marie Styvar, Michael Fresques, Stanley Kouris, Jim Rafferty, Marilyn Nyquist, and Carlynn Hensley.



Editors and Business Managers
Attend Journalism Clinic



Administration

AT THE HELM



Left to Right: Ira J. Russell, Supt.; Thomas F. Plemel; William Lewis; W. R. Gibbs, Chairman; Mrs. Sam Evans, Clerk; Harold Clark, Treasurer; R. C. Smith.



Captain

IRA J. RUSSELL

CAPTAIN'S MESSAGE

Deep within this chest
of pirate plunder we
will find the treasures
which recall the joys
and tribulations of our
Reliance High School
days.

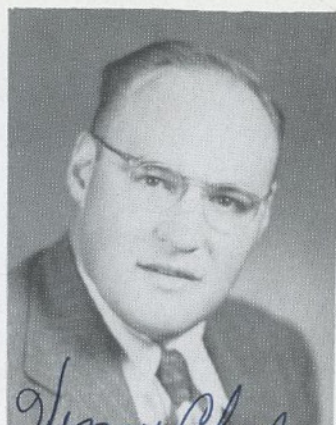
May these memories
pictured grow dearer
through the passing years,
bringing with them new
life, new hope and new
aspirations.

H. Black
MISS REGINA BLACK

Languages and Library
B. A., Loretto Heights
University of Wyoming

MR. HENRY CHADEY

Social Studies
B. A., University of Wyoming



Henry Chadey

MISS MARJORIE EGELAND

English
B. S., University of
Wisconsin

MR. DONALD FREEMAN

Shop
B. S., University of
Wyoming

Margie Egeland



Delight Grohar



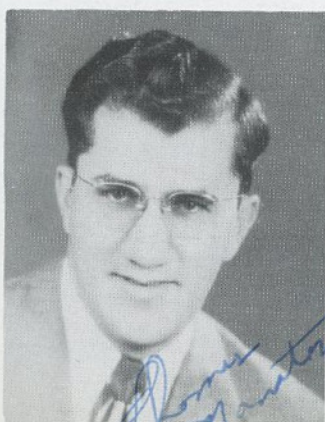
MRS. DELIGHT GROHAR

Math and Commerce
B. A., University of
Wyoming

MR. HAROLD HOPKINSON

Art and Guidance
B. A., University of
Wyoming
L. D. S. Business
College, Salt Lake

Harold Hopkinson



Thomas Manatos



MR. THOMAS MANATOS
Mathematics
B. A., University of Wyoming

MISS BEVERLY MOTICHKA
Secretary

*Who can I meet
next year? Hope
you're back, but
we'll miss you
if you're not.
Jan*

MR. M. A. NYQUIST

Music
Kearney State Teachers
Kearney, Nebraska



MR. FRANK RADICE

Commerce
B. S., Bloomsburg State
Teachers



*Frank
Radice
messing
take take
z*

MRS. MARJORIE RUSSELL

Home Economics
B. A., Park College



MR. JACK SMITH

Physical Education
Coach
B. S., University of
Wyoming



*Sure wish
you could be
my teacher cause
I'm sure you'd be
a swell one. I'd
like to have you
around. Lots of
love
Linda
Marjorie*



MRS. VENDALA SPENCE

Grades Seven and
Eight
University of Wyoming

MRS. MARY LOU THOMPSON

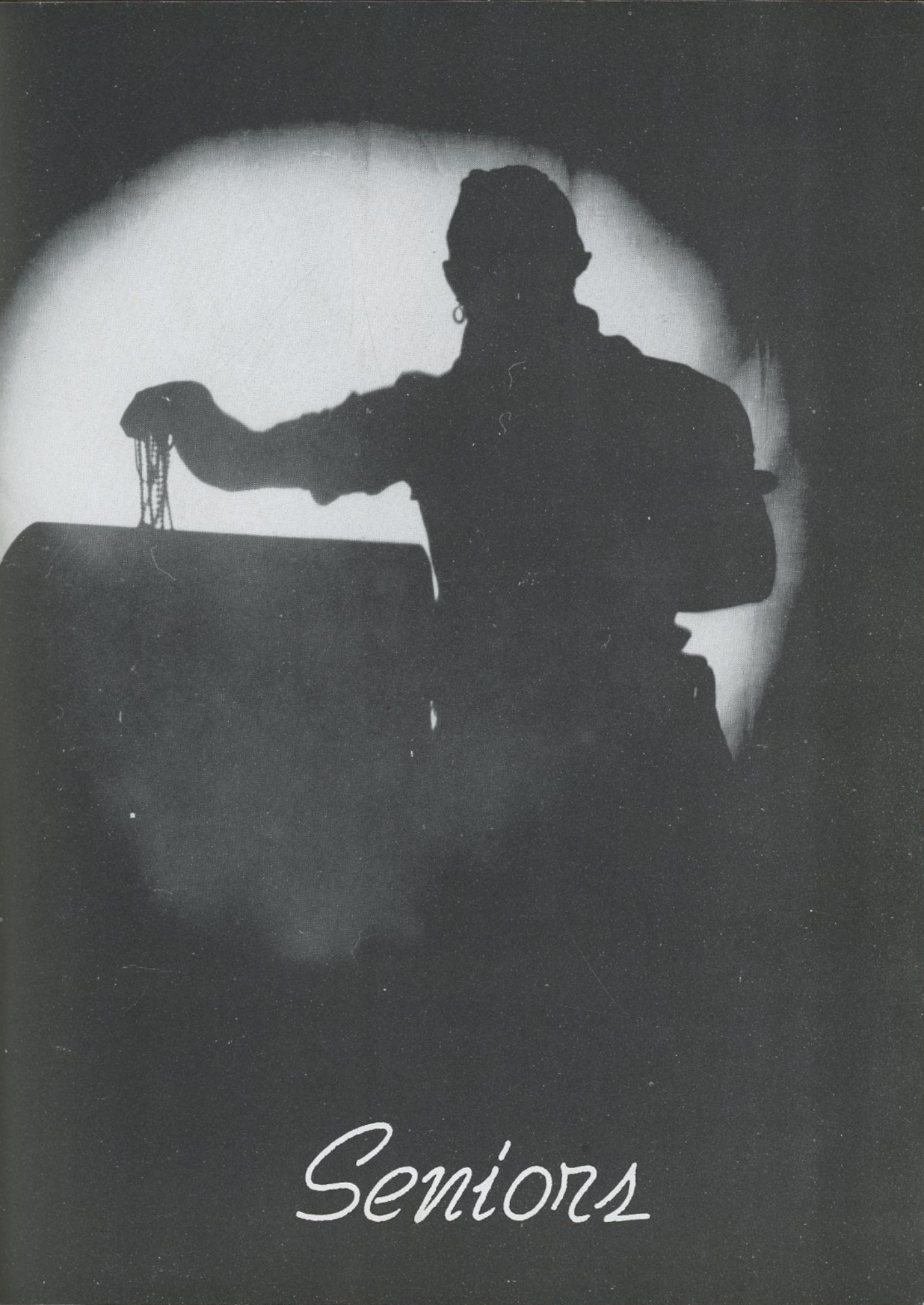
Science
B. A., University of
Utah

MR. GERRALD ZAPPELLI

History and English
M. A., University of Wyoming
Santa Clara, California



*Gerald
Zappelli
Wanted
to know how
you are!*



Seniors

STANLEY KOURIS

"Stan"

"Bless You For Being An Angel"
Letterman 1-2-3-4; Football 1-2-3-4; Basketball 1-2-3-4; Dramatics 1-2-3; Jr. Play 3; Publications 4; Class President 1-2-3; Mixed Chorus 1.



DONALD KRAGOVICH

"Krack"

"The Old Master Painter"

CARMELITA LUMSDEN

"Carm"

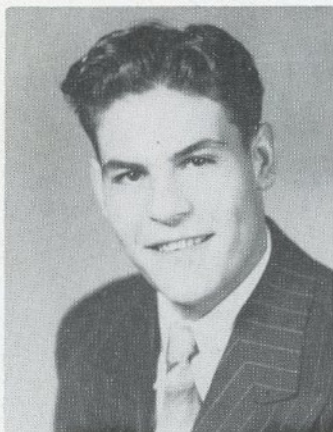
"When Irish Eyes Are Smiling"
Pep Club 1-2-3-4; Dramatics 1-2-3-4; Home Ec. 1-2-3; Library 4; Jr. Play 3; Glee 1-4; Spanish Club 2; Prom Queen Att. 3; Publications 4.



ERNEST MECCA

"Ernie"

"Slipping Around"
Letterman 3-4; Football 3-4; Basketball 3-4; Track 3-4; Dramatics 4; Mixed Chorus 1.



ROBERT MILLER

"Blackie"

"I've Got Rhythm"

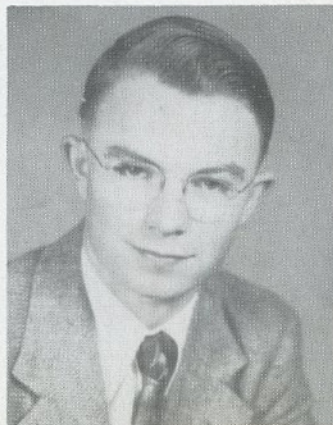
Letterman 4; Football 4; Band 4.

GEORGE NELSON

"Bud"

"A Fellow Needs a Girl"

Letterman 1-2-3-4; Football 1-2-3-4; Basketball 1-2-3-4; Dramatics 4.



MARILYN NYQUIST

"Lyn"

"Dreaming Away"

Pep Club 1-2-3-4; Home Ec. 1; Band 1-2-3-4; Glee 1-4; Dramatics 1-2-3-4; Jr. Play 3; Honorary Music 4; Publications 4.

MYRON OVERMAN

"I How I Hate to Get Up In the Morning"

JAMES RAFFERTY

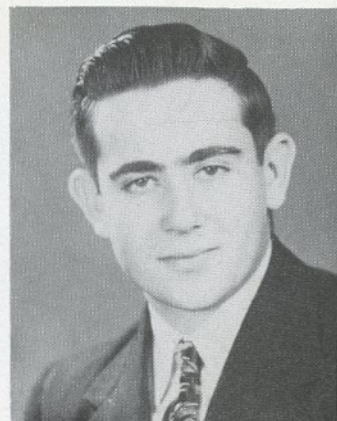
"Dip"

"Three O'clock in the Morning"

Letterman 3-4; Football 1-2-3-4;

Basketball 1-2-3-4; Dramatics 2;

Jr. Play 3; Publications 4.



FRANKLIN SHIFRAR

"Shif"

"Life Gets Tee-Jus, Don't It?"

Letterman 3-4; Football 3-4;

Band 1-2-3-4; Homecoming

King 4.

AUDREY SIMS

"Audra"

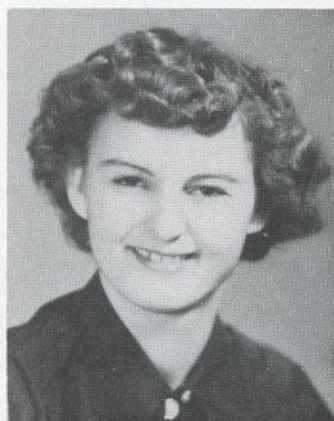
"There's A Blue-bird Singing In My Heart"

Pep Club 1-2-4; Glee Club 1-2

3-4; Dramatics 1-2-4; Library 1

2; Honorary Music 4; Publica

tions 4.



ALEX SPENCE

"Big Al"

"I'm an Old Cowhand"

Letterman 3-4; Football 1-2-3-4;

Dramatics 2; Band 1-2; Jr. Play

3.

WILLIAM STRANNIGAN

"Scotty"

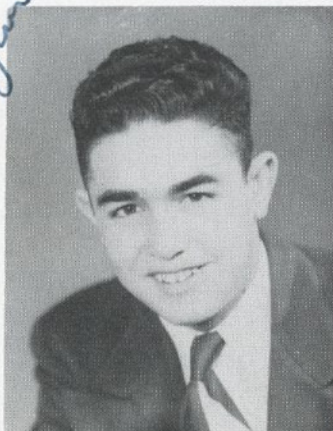
"Calling Florence How Many Islands Can There Be?"

Letterman 1-2-3-4; Football 1-2-

3-4; Basketball 1-2-3-4; Jr. Play

3; Band 1-2-3-4; Honorary Mu-

sic 4.



MARIE STYVAR

"Myrt"

"Why Does it get so Late so Early?"

Pep Club 1-2-3-4; Dramatics 1

2; Glee 1-2-3; Home Ec. 1-2;

Jr. Play 3; Publications 4.

ANTHONY TSAKAKIS

"Tony"

"I Don't Care if I Ever go to Bed"

Letterman 3-4; Football 1-2-3-4;

Basketball 1-2-3-4; Track 1-2-3;

Mixed Chorus 1; Dramatics 1-2-

4; Jr. Play 3.

LOIS WELCH

"Frenchie"

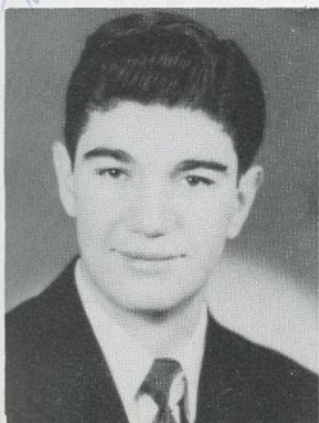
"Five Feet Two Eyes of Blue"

Pep Club 1-2-3-4; Latin Club

3-4; Home Ec. 1; Glee 1-2; Dra-

matics 1-2-3-4; Jr. Play 3; Class

Secretary and Treasurer 1.



Bill Strannigan

Long

Lois

Alex

Marie

CLASS HISTORY

The R. H. S. Pirate crew began their voyage with 34 members aboard. First mate of the ship was Stanley Kouris; second mate, Michael Fresques; log keeper, Beverly Williams; and the key to the treasure chest was held by Lois Welch. Plans made for a gala party were never carried through. Chosen to represent their class as council members were Michael Fresques and Jenny Poljanec with Lois Welch representing Home Ec Club. Tony Tsakakis and Stanley Kouris were selected on the all-tourney team at Evanston. Captain of the ship was Tom Manatos.

Our second year at sea as sophomores ran along much the same course as the previous year. We initiated the Freshmen and for the Christmas holidays we decorated one of the trees. Stanley Kouris again was selected first mate; Michael Fresques was second mate; and Carlynn Hensley, log keeper. Miss Velma Steinke was captain of the ship. For the first time since we were in high school we were represented by a cheerleader. She was Carlynn Hensley.

We journeyed on into our third year as a more experienced crew led ably by our first mate, Stanley Kouris. Second mate was George Nelson and log keeper, Genevieve Lowe. Captain of the ship was Mrs. Mary Lou Thompson. "A Date With Judy" a humorous teen-age comedy was presented as our junior class play. Leads were taken by Marilyn Nyquist, Michael Fresques, Stanley Kouris, Jim Rafferty, and Jenny Poljanec. Other class members played well in their supporting roles. We began showing our journalistic abilities by publishing the Sand. Marilyn Nyquist was editor and Jenny Poljanec, business manager. Michael Fresques was chosen editor of the Pirate Log along with Stanley Kouris, business manager. These four people attended the journalism conference which was held in Laramie. Early in the year we ordered our class rings and they arrived in spring. LaRue Goddard was elected Queen of the Sweetheart Ball. Basketball season came to a close when we placed second in state with eight of our boys lettering. In April

the long-awaited for event came — the Junior Prom. Our decorations carried out the theme of "Somewhere Over The Rainbow". By popular vote Genevieve Lowe was our queen and her attendants were Carmelita Lumsden and LaRue Goddard. A picnic at Steele's Mineral Hot Springs climaxed the year's voyaging.

Our voyage was slowly coming to a close as we proceeded into our fourth year as mighty seniors. Six members of our crew had dropped since the beginning of our voyage and we were left with only 28 members. For the first time since our journey started we had a new first mate who was Beverly Williams. Those aiding her were second mate, Genevieve Lowe, and log keeper, Jenny Poljanec. Mrs. Thompson again was captain. At homecoming we were given the honor of directing the coronation and balloting of the king and queen. Early in the year, we chose our announcements and calling cards which carried out the Pirate theme. Franklin Shifrar was chosen king of the Homecoming dance. We played Byron for the state championship in football and got second place. Twelve of our boys were on the team. Our next important event was the Senior Hop on December 2—our last formal dance. The theme "Christmas Island" was revealed the night of the dance. Basketball season was in full swing and the Pirates piled up the conference wins. We had two victories with Rock Springs this year. Jim Rafferty, Stanley Kouris, George Nelson, Michael Fresques, George Jelaco, and Tony Tsakakis finished their last season of basketball. White sweaters were given to these boys and other senior lettermen. Our class play, presented on May 5, was well received by everyone. Announcements and calling cards arrived and everyone was in a flurry of writing. May 23 was class night and we knew that our voyage was finally coming to a close. With a mingling of happiness and sadness in our hearts, we are looking forward to Commencement on May 24, which will end our journey of twelve years.



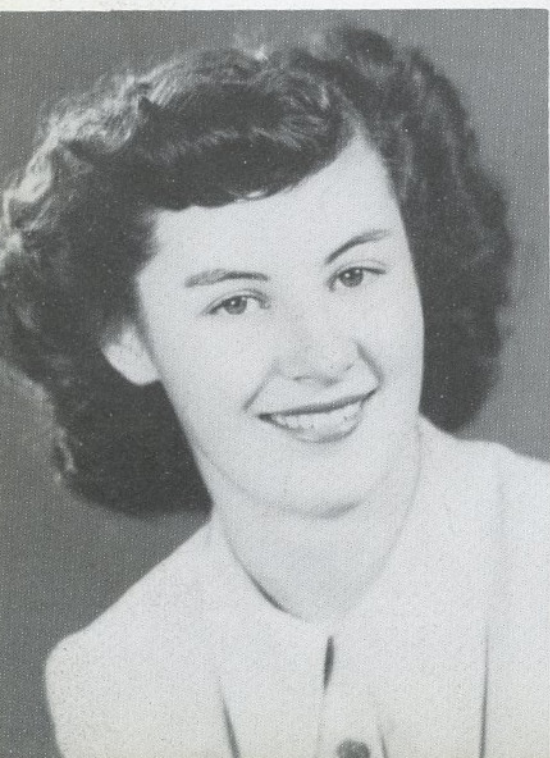
Juniors

CLASS OFFICERS

Jane Nelson
President



Florence Delgado
Vice-President



Donna Gibbs
Secretary-Treasurer



Rosa Bergandi
Dorothy Bollinger



Robert Burns
Lucy Cabre



Gladys Compton



Cipy Cordova



Joy DuPont
Thomas Edwards



Kathleen Galloway
Jack Green





James Kelley
Dolores Lumsden



Blaine Potter
Marilyn Rollins

Walter Sawick

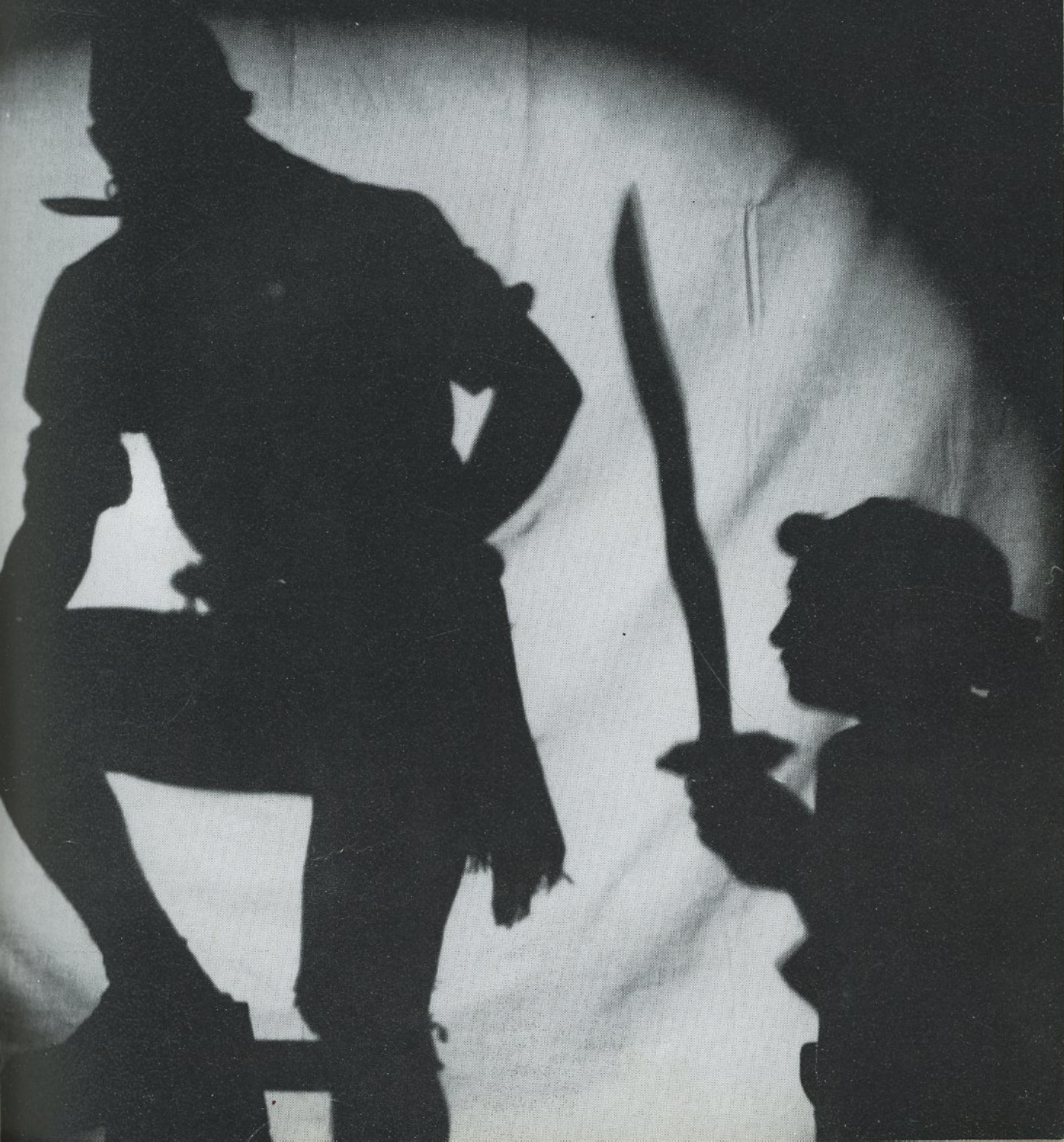


Lucille Smith

Robert Starrett
Ronald Wilson



Sophomores



SOPHOMORES



Front row left to right: Glenda Bare Marianne Kovach Betty Jean Daiprai Carrie Patterakis Avis Williams Wilma Bollinger LaRee Greenhalgh Louise Sims Ramona Ramirez Shirley McClearn Carol Matson and Mr. Tom Manatos sponsor.

Second row left to right: Tommy Potter Jack Rafferty Jimmy Ramer Darlene Manlove Dolores Ramirez Connie Gaylord Norine Borzago Francis Korogi John Peterson Richard Starrett Pat Trujillo Richard Lee and Donald Evezich.

Back row left to right: Paul Guigli Leslie Zelenka John Harris Jack Freeze, Tony Garcia Jimmy Mecca Jack Cunningham Oscar Pirnar Glenn Williamson Jimmy Spence Bob Gramos Arthur Nyquist and Wallace Mayo.





Freshmen

FRESHMEN

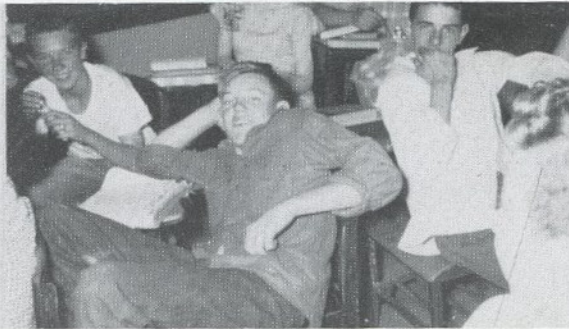


Front row left to right: Mr. Henry Chadey sponsor Jack Edwards Lois Mecca, George Goddard Beverly Welsh Billy Palcher Louise Thomas Proctor Lescoe Nila Franch Lloyd Cabre Mike Sawick.

Second row left to right: Clayton Brown Wilma Rose Lowe Raymond Mathias, Elizabeth Strannigan Ernest Fresques Josephine Kragovich Eugene Wardlaw, Shirley Kalinowski J. R. While and Ronald Comstock.

Third row left to right: Alex Perakis Louise Tucker Henry Laster Gayle Ann Williams Max Korfanta Phyllis Johnston Brucilla Page Paul Chetterbock James Stroud, and Richard Gibbs.

Back row left to right: Bill Mastrovich Donald Baker Laura Franc Larry Welsh, Charles Tatman and Ray Fortuna.



Freshmen Hard at Work



Junion High

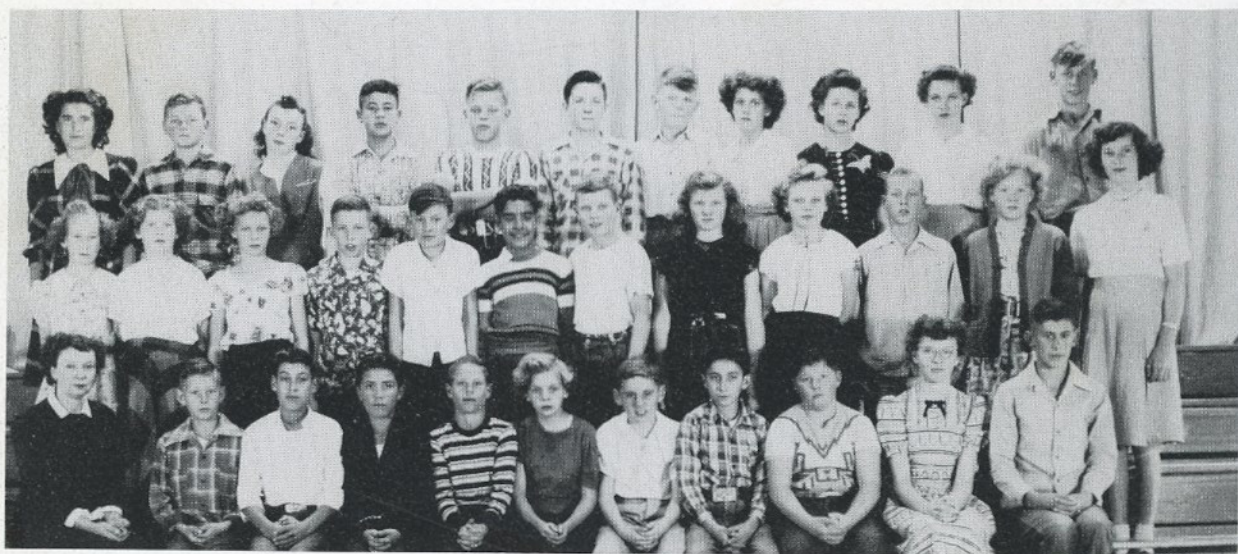


EIGHTH GRADE

Front row, left to right: Mary Lou Stover, Martha Lamer, Robert Zelenka, Jesse Daiprai, Carolyn Jenkins, Barta Potter, Gale Greenhalgh, Donald Delgado, Robert Blacketer, Mary Jean Easton, and John Vidakovich.

Second row, left to right: Carol Head, Cleo Trujillo, Kay Jenkins, Joe Brock, Dorothy Williams, Angela Garcia, Gene Green, Howard Robinson, Bill Cummings, Darrell Rollins, Perfecto Chavez, Florence Iskra, Barbara Oliver, and Mr. Hopkinson, sponsor.

Third row, left to right: Stanley Wilhelmsen, Jack Saunders, Eloy Garcia, Dorothy May, James Adams, Bill Kieren, Carol Kalinowski, JoAnn Cummings, and Marilyn Tucker.



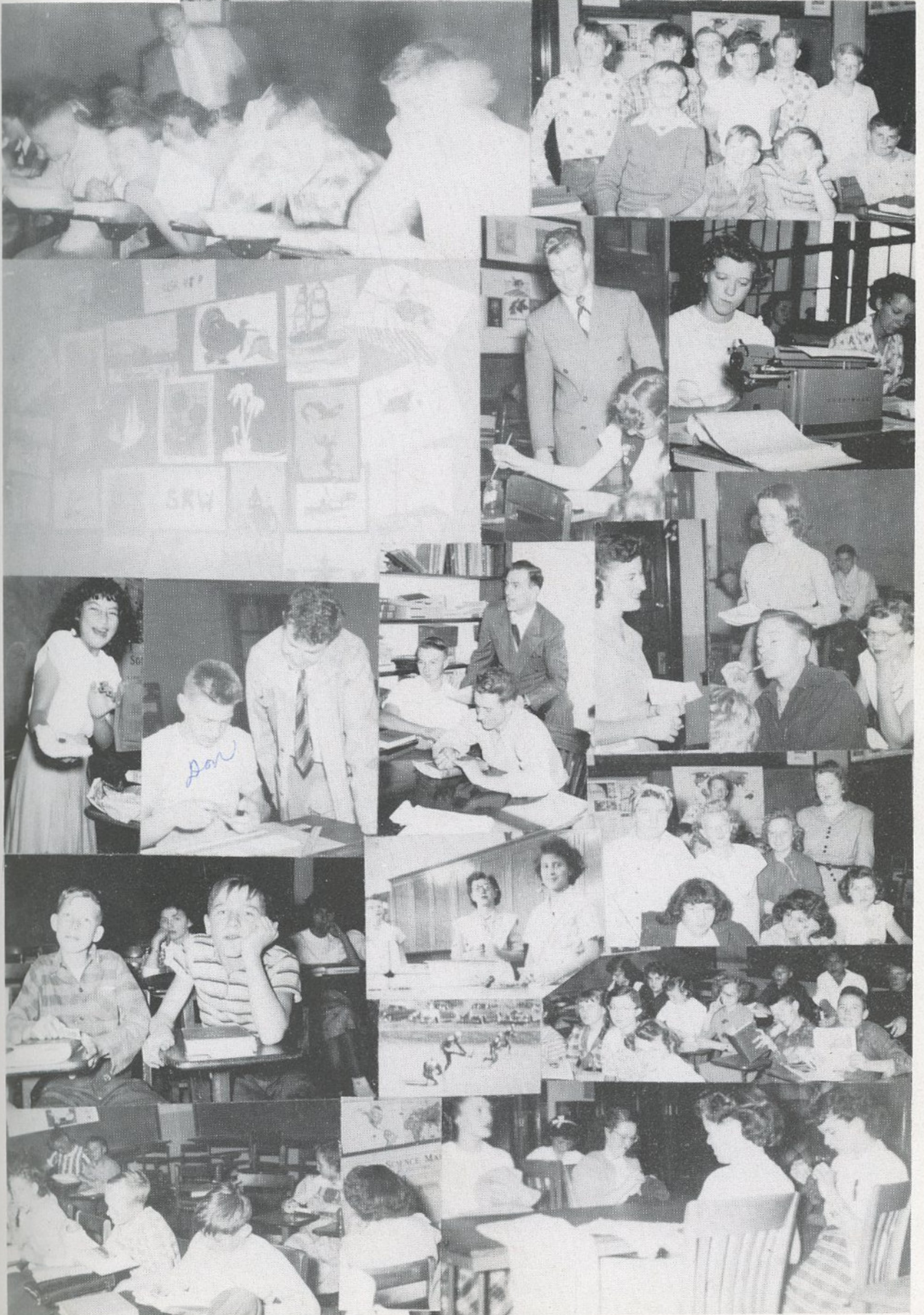
SEVENTH GRADE

Front row, left to right: Mrs. Vendala Spence, sponsor, Donald Grant, Tony Sandoval, Joe Trujillo, James Palcher, Roberta Rodda, Billy Lewis, Charles Cordova, Edward Erwin, Pat Kelley, and Raymond Johnson.

Second row, left to right: Charlotte Madison, Laurel Gibbs, Louise Duncan, Frank Smith, Donald Valdez, David Garcia, Carl Nelson, Betty McClearn, Helen Frappart, Willis Mayo, Carol Rollins, and Jane Franch.

Third row, left to right: Gloria Medina, George Spence, Lorraine Coulter, Tony Ramirez, Ronald Tome, Larry Wendell, Johnny Evezich, Elsie Baker, Norma Kragovich, Ardis Reeves, and Melvin Kieren.

CLASSROOM ACTIVITIES



CALENDAR OF EVENTS

SEPTEMBER

- 6—School bells rang
As classes started with a bang.
- 16—The first game this fall
We beat Hanna in football.
- 23—The team bagged a second game
When Jackson to Reliance came.
That night the Latin Club dance
Was held 'neath Harvest Moon, Romance!
- 30—We cheered with lots of noise
To see Lyman lose to our boys.

OCTOBER

- 5—The Pirates had an easy win
When Saratoga drifted in.
- 6-7—Teachers had a two day meet
While our vacation was a treat.
- 13—The Donas played and sang in Dutch
Which pleased the students very much.
A Pep Rally was held that night
And a snake dance before the fight.
- 14—With Pinedale was our homecoming game
Which brought us honor and greater fame.
As king and queen they were crowned at the dance
Jane and Frank were in a trance.
- 21—A Safety Assembly was held on this day
When pupils learned how to drive in a safe way.
- 22—The Home Ec. girls to Evanston did go
For a conference which was their show.
- 26—Cokeville was visited by our football six
Who won the game with their fast tricks.
- 31—Specimens of sea life in assembly were shown
By a lady diver professionally known.
Hallowe'en was celebrated in a quiet way
With a show and dance on this day.

NOVEMBER

- 5—Southern-half state champs we became
When we beat Glenrock in a 28-10 game.

- 7-11—Parents and friends varied scenes do seek
At school during National Education Week.

- 11—Classes were held on Armistice Day
But a program was given over the P. A.

- 14-18—An adventure poster by Marilyn Tucker was made
Winning the contest that Book Week displayed.

- 15—A pep assembly was held to see the boys off
When they left for Byron for state play-off.
Chosen for cheerleaders from candidates many
Were Florence, Rosa, Marilyn and Jenny.

- 16—28-20 was a hard defeat
When Reliance and Byron did meet.

- 18-19—Green River was inter-school concert scene
When combined band marched on field of green.

- 22—The juniors acted in hill-billy style
When "The Campbells Are Coming" brought many a smile.

- 23—Thanksgiving assembly by the band
Had a speaker who emphasized our free land.

- 24-25—These two days we had no school
No books, no teachers, no golden rule.

DECEMBER

- 2—Christmas Island was the hop theme
Which all the seniors put on as a team.

- 3—Director and students went to band clinic
In Laramie that featured new music.

- 9—First basketball game we played Mt. View
Won by the Pirates with a score of 45 to 32.

- 16—Eight point victory the Pirates gave
When we met the Afton Braves.
On this day when set the sun
Began two weeks of glorious fun.

- 22—After handing Laramie a 31-26 defeat
The team stayed for Wyoming-Washington meet.

JANUARY

- 3—Classes began at nine on the dot
With resolutions of studying a lot.

- 4—Pirates beat Kemmerer this night
Winning 37-27 in a hard fight.
- 5—From the hour 10 to 11
We enjoyed the magician Nevin.
- 58 to 39 we sallied forth
Over Jackson's team from the north.
- 6—To our win list we added one more
Hanna Miners with a 52-30 score.
- 11—Reliance clipped the Eagles' wings
41-28 to prove they're kings.
- 13—The Pirates fought with all their might
To edge the Wolves 38-36 in a battle tight.
- 14—Out for revenge Hanna did go
To deal the team a 26-27 blow.
- 18-19—Eyes and nerves were put to strain
When exam time came around again.

FEBRUARY

- 2—Snow and ice were no match for
The Pirates topping Jackson 55-34.
- 3—Just a slight admission got you in
For the freshmen show and dancin'.
- 4—Two bands were the unusual treat
At the 47-34 Pirate-Dragon meet.
- 7—The scoreboard read fifty to forty-two
After we won an exciting contest with the Lyman crew.
- 9—Cotton skirts and tight levis were seen
At the fun-packed FHA square dance scene.
- 11—Eleven point loss made Rock Springs sick
But made our first place rating stick.
- 14—The Wolves are out for revenge tonight
Which should prove to be quite a fight.
- 18—Reliance will play the Rawlins team
To defeat the Outlaws is our dream.
- 20—Cakes were raffled at the annual benefit dance
For which everyone had a chance.
- 23—District Tournament featuring Class B
Started today for all to see.

MARCH

- 2-4—District Tournament held for Class A
While we were given a holiday.
- 10-11—Junior High Tournament for the boys was fun
Was held the 10 and 11 at Evanston.
- 13—Shakespeare was presented in such a way
That students would enjoy it everyday.
- 15-18—Many teams fought it out at state
When winners and losers came to their fate.
- 17-18—Inter-school concert at Evanston was the scene
Where students and faculty alike were seen.
- 31—Astronomy and experiences at Palomar
Were told in assembly by Edgar.

APRIL

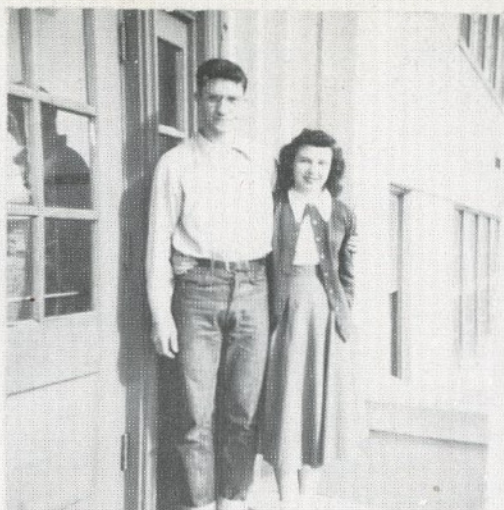
- 14—Two skaters on a platform small
Performed tricks and stunts without a fall.
- 21—A gay theme, "Red Sails in the Sunset"
Was the background where the Prom dancers met.
- 27-29—Ratings were earned for events musical
In Casper at the State Festival.

MAY

- 5—Seniors rehearsed for many a day
And finally presented their class play.
- 5-6—Kemmerer was the festival scene
Where musical competition was keen.
- 21—The RHS gym was the baccalaureate place
Where sat the gowned seniors with solemn face.
- 23—Acting out the Prophecy on Class Night
The seniors showed a future bright.
- 24—Both sad and gay was this event
When the seniors had Commencement.
- 26—Good-by, good-by to everyone—
Our high school days are past and gone.



MOST ATHLETIC



MOST POPULAR



PRETTIEST GIRL

HANDSOMEST BOY



BEST DANCERS



BEST ALL-AROUND



WITTIEST



Organizations

CHORUS



Front row, left to right: Mr. Nyquist, sponsor, Beverly Welsh, Wilma Rose Lowe, Elizabeth Strannigan, Romona Ramirez, Louise Tucker, Gayle Williams, Brucilla Page, and Laura Franc.

Second row, left to right: Phyllis Johnston, Marianne Kovach, Audrey Sims, Carmelita Lumsden, Wilma Bollinger, Jeanine Gresham, Genevieve Lowe, Dolores Ramirez, Nila Franch, and Louise Thomas.

Back row, left to right: Carlynn Hensley, Shirley Kalinowski, Marilyn Nyquist, Lois Mecca, Shirley McClearn, Carol Matson, and Josephine Kragovich.



Sextette sings sweet strains.



LETTERMEN

Front Row: left to right: Bill Strannigan, Ernest Mecca, George Nelson, Michael Fresques, Stanley Kouris, Franklin Shifrar.

Second Row: Mr. Tom Manatos, Jim Rafferty, Ned Greenhalgh, Robert Miller, Richard Bergandi, James Mecca, Coach Jack Smith.

Third Row: Walter Sawick, George Jelaco, Alex Spence, Tony Tsakakis, Alfred Maffoni, Robert Burns, Ronald Wilson.



CHEER LEADERS



Front Row: Rosa Bergandi, Florence Delgado, and Marilyn Rollins.
Back Row: Lois Mecca, Louise Thomas, and Jenny Poljanec.





SENIOR HOME ECONOMICS

Front row, left to right: Mrs. Russell, sponsor, Elizabeth Strannigan, Wilma Bollinger Shirley McClearn Carol Matson, Beverly Williams LaRue Goddard and Betty Jean Daiprai.

Second row left to right: Wilma Rose Lowe Connie Gaylord Dolores Ramirez, Carrie Patterakis Dolores Lumsden Nila Franch Louise Thomas and Ramona Ramirez.

Third row left to right: Louise Sims Beverly Welch Darlene Manlove Laura Franc, Kathleen Galloway Josephine Kragovich and Lois Mecca.

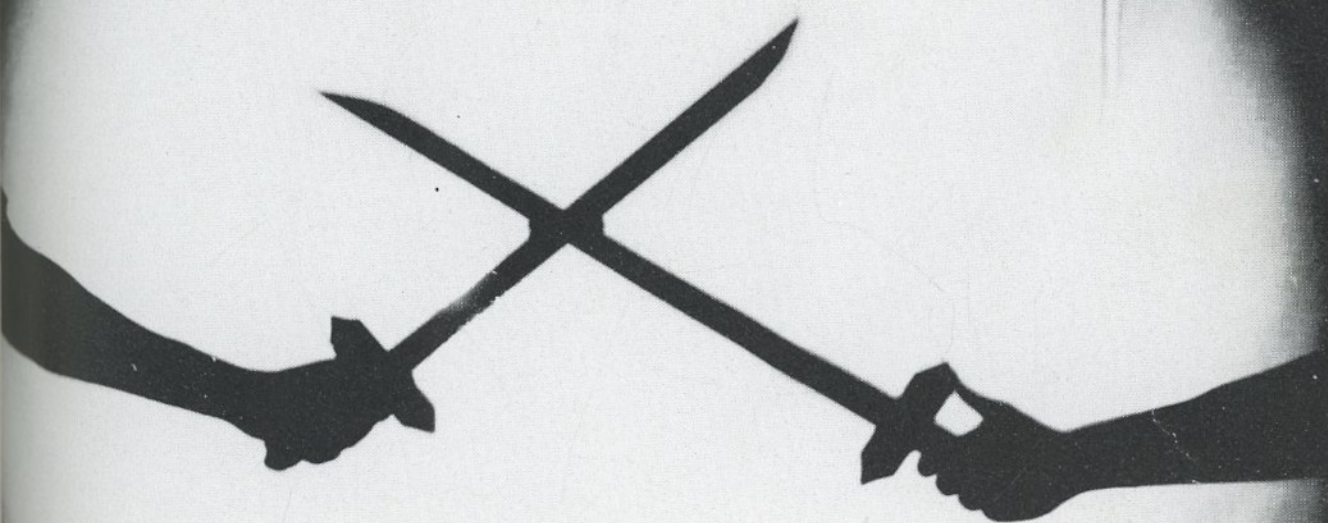


JUNIOR HOME ECONOMICS

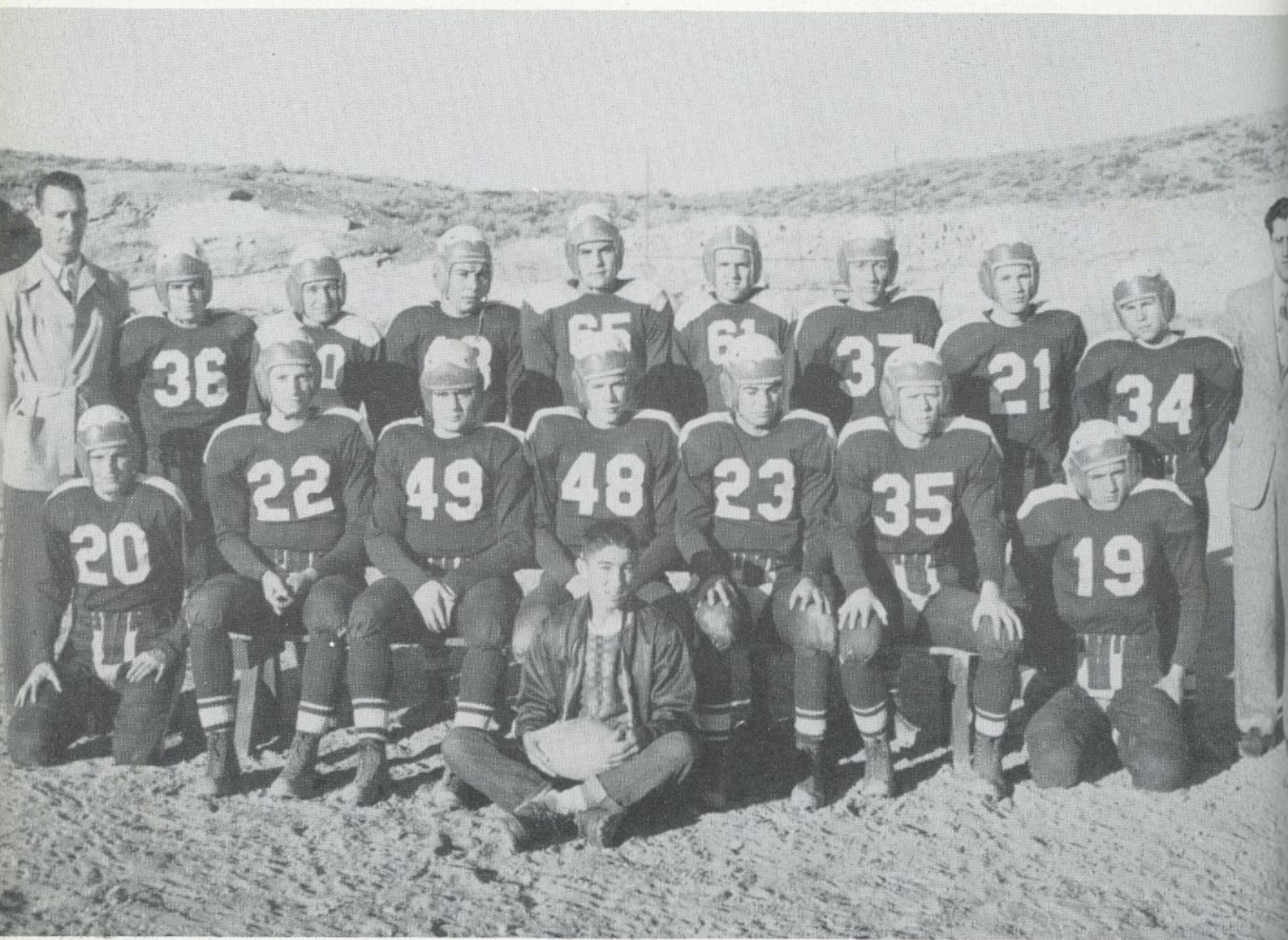
Front row left to right: Louise Duncan Mary Lou Stover Martha Lamer Ardis Reeves Carolyn Jenkins Barta Potter Gail Greenhalgh Norma Kragovich Roberta Rodda Mary Jean Easton and Laurel Gibbs.

Second row left to right: Cleo Trujillo Kay Jenkins Carole Rollins Betty McClearn, Dorothy Williams Angela Garcia Elsie Baker Gloria Medina Lorraine Coulter, Florence Iskra Barbara Oliver and Earlene Sorter.

Third row left to right: Lola Lampinen Helen Frappart Geraldine Lafferty Carol Head Jane Franch Dorothy May Carol Kalinowski, Jo Ann Cummings Marilyn Tucker and Patricia Kelley.



Sports



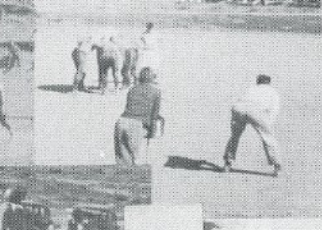
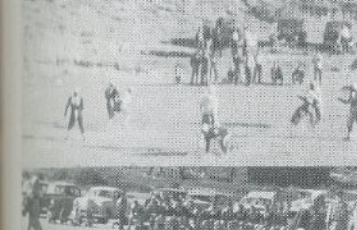
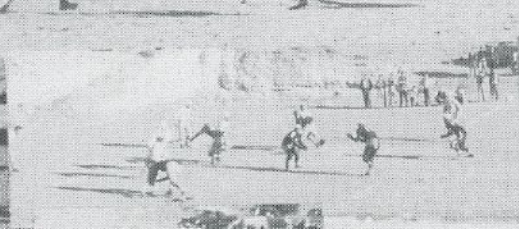
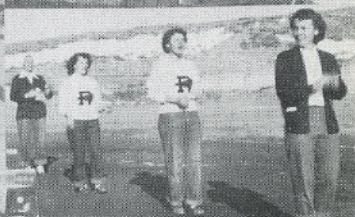
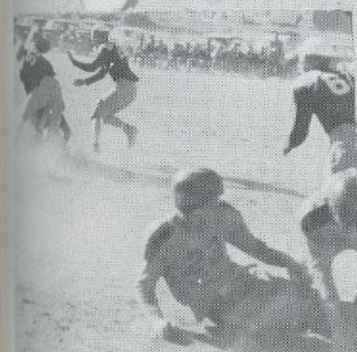
Seated in front: Tony Garcia, manager.

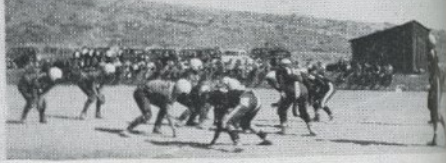
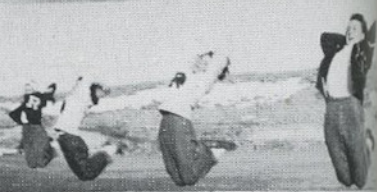
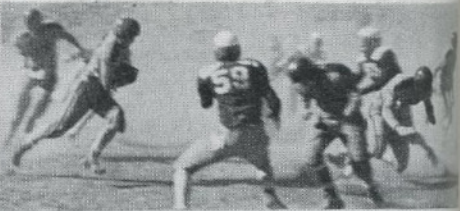
Front row, left to right: Robert Burns, Stanley Kouris, Franklin Shifrar, Alex Spence, Tony Tsakakis, George Nelson, and George Jelaco.

Back row, left to right: Coach Jack Smith, Bill Strannigan, Richard Bergandi, Michael Fresques, Bob Miller, Walter Sawick, Ernest Mecca, Ronnie Wilson, Jim Rafferty, and Tom Manatos, Assistant coach.



Fresques Goes All The Way





PIRATES



Front Row; left to right: Bill Strannigan, g; Michael Fresques, g; George Jelaco, f; Bud Nelson, c; Stanley Kouris, f; Ernest Mecca, f; Jim Rafferty, g; Sitting: Donald Evezich, cm.

Second Row; left to right: Jack Smith, Coach; Blaine Potter, g; Robert Burns, c; Ray Fortuna, c; Alfred Maffoni, c; Walter Sawick, f; Ronald Wilson, g; Jack Rafferty, g; and Tom Manatos, Assistant Coach.

Third Row; left to right: Jim Mecca, f; Michael Sawick, g; Glen Williamson, f; Jack Freeze, f; Tony Tsakakis, f; Tony Garcia, f; Jim Spence, f; and Oscar Pirnar, g.





Pirates in Action

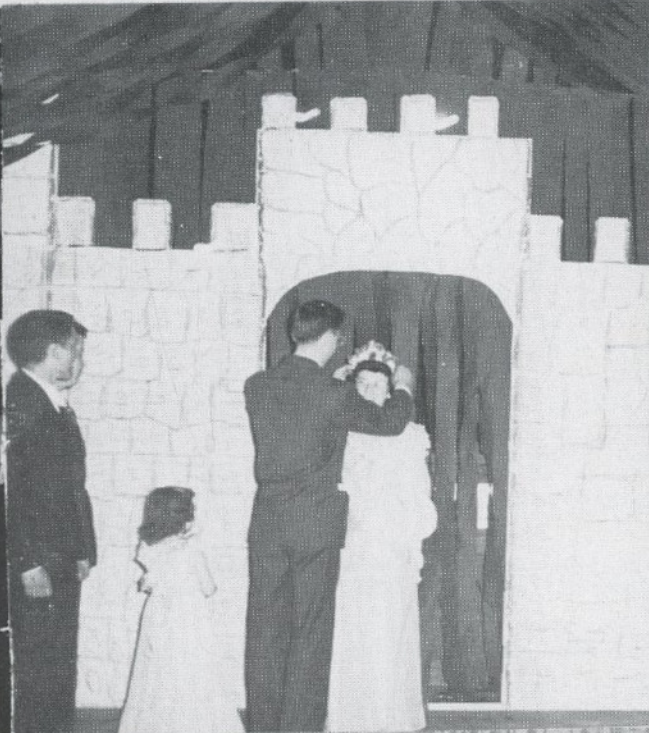


Activities

Fun on board the Good Ship Reliance



Gaily We Dance....



THROUGH THE TELESCOPE

Ned

My first vacation in ten years! That's what I said when I got the news that I would be on leave for two months, April 1 to June 1, 1960, and in those two months I went to many places that I had wanted to see since I had graduated from school in 1950.

I left San Francisco on the good ship "Pirate Princess". As we passed under the Golden Gate Bridge, the captain paused by my side and said, "Beautiful sight, isn't it? " I turned and found myself staring into the eyes of my old friend and classmate, George Jelaco. George had got his captain's papers on June 21, 1959. Here it was only ten months later, and I was sailing with him on his own ship. He told me that three other of my classmates of "50" were on the ship, too: Franklin Shifrar, Louis Evezich, and Alex Spence. They had been in the Navy since they had graduated from high school in 1950.

When the ship docked in Pearl Harbor, I was transferred to an airplane which was to fly me the rest of the way to China. On my way to the air field I paused for a quick snack at the "Peg-Leg Inn", which was famous for its fine food and beautiful waitresses. A pretty, black haired waitress

struck me as being very familiar. When she came to take my order, I found that it was no other than Lois Welch of old Reliance High School. She told me that she had come to Pearl Harbor with two other graduates of "50", LaRue Goddard and Audrey Sims, who were head nurses at the government hospital and doing a very good job. At last I had to leave as my plane was to take off in twenty minutes. Telling an old classmate good-bye after seeing her for only thirty minutes is not very easy, but it had to be done.

Getting a taxi to take me to the air field, I made it just in time. As I boarded the plane the hostess, Carlynn Hensley, directed me to my seat and showed me how to fasten the safety belt. After we were in the air I was invited to the pilot's cabin. There I met my old pal Bob Gregory, who was making his first hop as a commercial pilot after getting his discharge from the naval air force. When I went back to my seat I saw that a traveling salesman had moved up to sit with me. It was Donald Kragovich. He was selling equipment for a firm in New York. The head of that firm was Marilyn Nyquist. After chatting with Don for a while, I learned that Carmelita Lumsden was running the

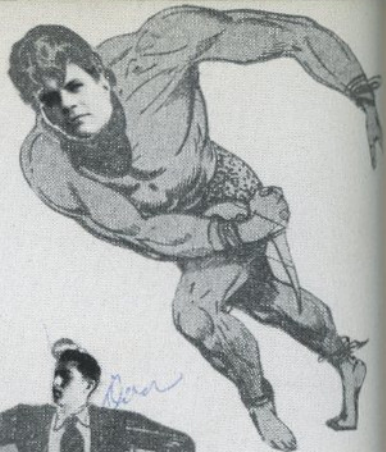
"Pirate" a fashionable night club in New York.

As we landed in Hongkong we were greeted by the American ambassador George Nelson who had just recently been appointed to this post. With him was his buddy Stanley Kouris, who was taking a vacation after being voted "Coach of the Year" at Wyoming. They told me that Jim Rafferty had made a name for himself as a great rodeo rider.

With a hurried good-by we left Hongkong and traveled to Austria where I went to a famous night club "Pirate Jack" which was billing Bob Miller's famous band. As I left the night club, I noticed a woman arresting a man. I was astonished to find that Beverly Williams had just arrested an international spy for the F.B.I. As we walked up the street we saw a cute little woman who was taking her children out for a stroll. It was none other than Genevieve Lowe.

Leaving Austria we traveled to England where I was greeted by Richard Bergandi of the International Airplane Company who was stationed in London making a routine check of the plane for his company. He informed me that Jeanine Gresham was one of the world's greatest missionaries. Ernest Mecca who was waiting for a plane to fly

him to America persuaded me to accompany him on his return trip. Ernie was in Europe on a goodwill tour for the United States with his troupe of entertainers. After landing in New York, I looked up an old pal, Michael Fresques, who is a professional football player and part owner of the Green Bay Pirates. Going into his office, I noticed that his secretary was Marie Styvar. After visiting with Mike and Marie for two weeks, I decided to travel part way to San Francisco with them. When our plane landed at the Rock Springs airport, I told them good-by and went to my old home in Winton. When I arrived, I found that it was pay day so I went to the mine office to see if there was anyone there I knew. I saw Tony Tsakakis and Myron Overman, who had just drawn a hundred and twenty dollars each for two weeks work, were doing well for themselves. Myron told me that Bill Strannigan is a banker in Green River and that Jenny Poljanec is in Manila, Utah, with her husband who is farming there. With the end of May in sight, I leave for San Francisco where my job as an instructor at the Coast Guard Academy is awaiting me.



Senior



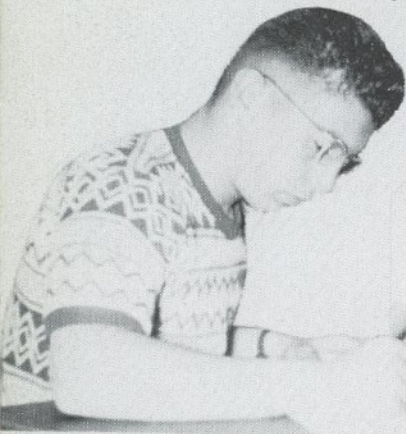
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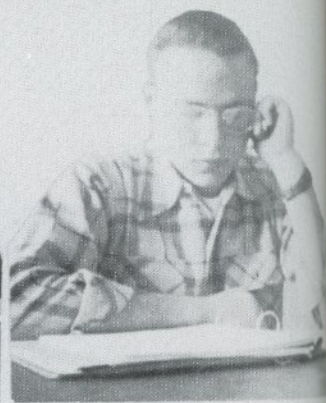
Mapping the Voyage



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Classes

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Surprised
The surprise class placed the highest number of votes in the election. The surprise class placed the highest number of votes in the election. The surprise class placed the highest number of votes in the election.

Seniors Class Honors Members
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TEN WIN PLACE ON HONOR ROLL
Students of Reliance High school have been placed on the honor roll. Students of Reliance High school have been placed on the honor roll. Students of Reliance High school have been placed on the honor roll.

Students' Opinion of the Sand
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Seniors Present 'Tiger House'
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Six Gain Place On Honor Roll
Six students have been placed on the honor roll. Six students have been placed on the honor roll. Six students have been placed on the honor roll.

R. H. S. Observes Music Week
The Reliance High School observed Music Week. The Reliance High School observed Music Week. The Reliance High School observed Music Week.

To Meet Annual Picture Deadline
The students are working to meet the annual picture deadline. The students are working to meet the annual picture deadline. The students are working to meet the annual picture deadline.

Alumni Visit Reliance High
Alumni visited Reliance High school. Alumni visited Reliance High school. Alumni visited Reliance High school.

Seniors Select Announcements
The seniors selected announcements for the year. The seniors selected announcements for the year. The seniors selected announcements for the year.

Juniors Select Class Rings
The juniors selected class rings for the year. The juniors selected class rings for the year. The juniors selected class rings for the year.



THE SAND

THE SCHOOL PAPER OF DINES, RELIANCE, STANSBURY, WINTON
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Juniors Hosts At Blue Hawaii

April's brought about a great occasion. The Junior Prom, held in the Reliance High School gymnasium. Upon entering the gymnasium, everyone became weary of the dancing at beautiful decorations. The night represented a perfect blue beach in which a big crowd of students was seen. The event was a great success. The event was a great success. The event was a great success.

Juniors Elect Temporary Staff

The juniors have elected a temporary staff to assist in publishing the yearbook. The juniors have elected a temporary staff to assist in publishing the yearbook. The juniors have elected a temporary staff to assist in publishing the yearbook.

Band Represented At Evanston

On March 21, the members of the band participated in the Evanston band contest. The Evanston band contest was held in Evanston, Illinois. The Evanston band contest was held in Evanston, Illinois. The Evanston band contest was held in Evanston, Illinois.

23 Will Don Caps, Gowns

May 10 will be a great day for the graduates of Reliance High School. The graduates will be wearing caps and gowns. The graduates will be wearing caps and gowns. The graduates will be wearing caps and gowns.

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Ever Since Eve Is Mirth Maker

The Reliance High School plays were the source of much mirth. The Reliance High School plays were the source of much mirth. The Reliance High School plays were the source of much mirth.

Pre-Festival Concerts Given

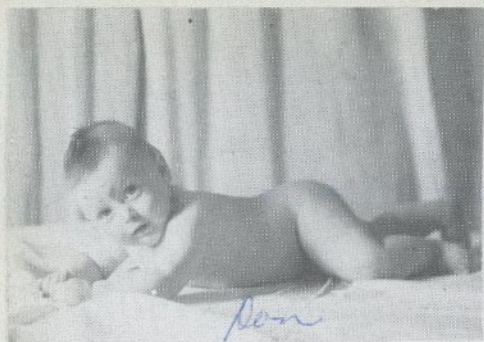
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RHS Represented At Kemmerer

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Reliance High School

Reliance High School is a great school. Reliance High School is a great school. Reliance High School is a great school.



Don



Richard



Mickey



Louie



Jenny



Marilyn



Franklin



La Rue



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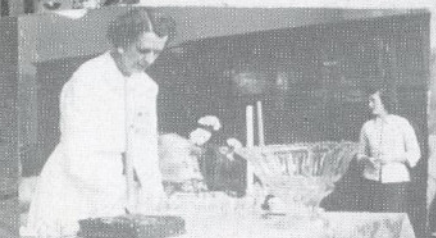
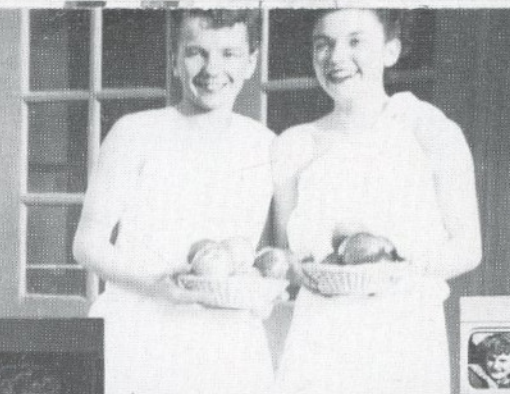
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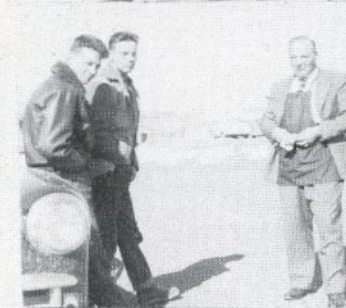
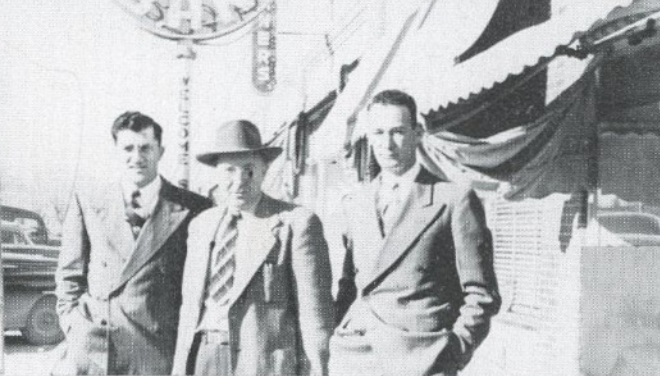
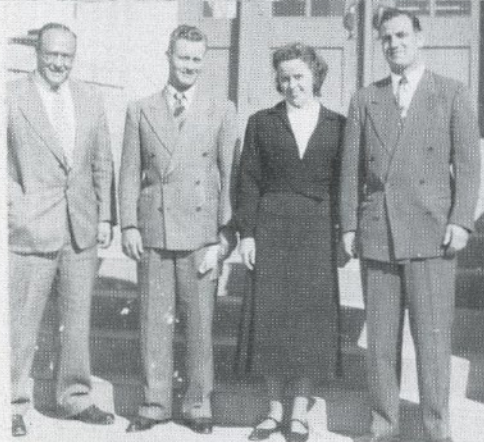
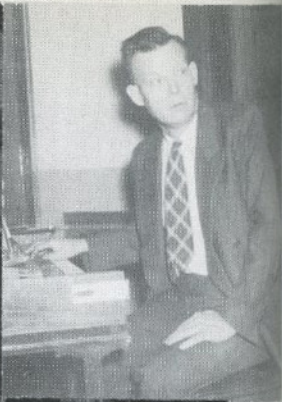


Pirates and Princesses Afloat





Merrily We Roll Along



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Elementary



Miss Mary Angeli
Winton First Grade
Mrs. Catherine Benson
Reliance Second Grade



Miss Joan Duzik
Winton Second Grade
Mrs. Dovey Hanley
Stansbury First Grade



Mrs. Martha Kovach
Reliance First Grade



Mrs. Dorothy Lamer
Winton Third Grade

Mr. Marshall Lamer
Winton Sixth Grade

Mr. Leon Lanoy
Reliance Sixth Grade



Leon Lanoy

Mrs. Pauline Lanoy
Winton Fifth Grade

Mrs. Zoe Lee
Stansbury Fourth
and Fifth Grades





Miss Evelyn Lewis
Reliance Third Grade

Miss Shirley Marlott
Winton Fourth Grade



Mrs. Katherine Morton
Dines First, Second,
and Third Grades

Mr. Francis Pecht
Stansbury Fifth and
Sixth Grades

Mrs. Wauneta Pecht
Reliance Fourth Grade



Mrs. Louise Pryde
Stansbury Second and
Third Grades

Mrs. Edith Rugar
Reliance Fifth Grade



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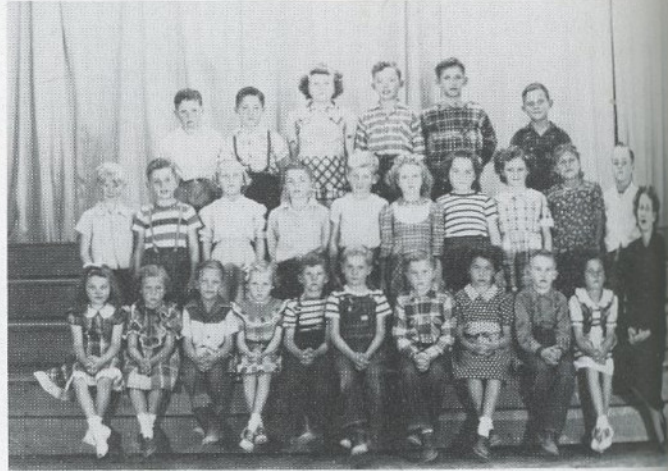




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SECOND AND THIRD GRADES



THIRD AND FOURTH GRADES



FIFTH AND SIXTH GRADES

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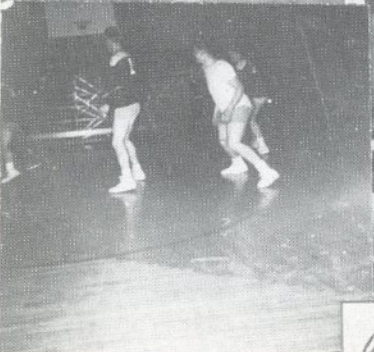
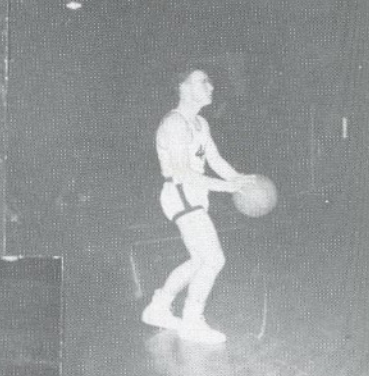
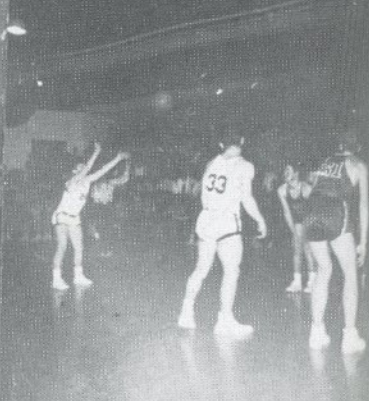
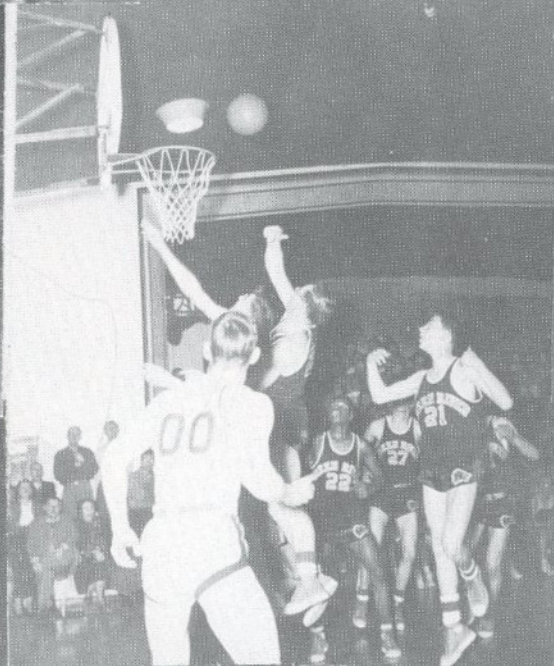
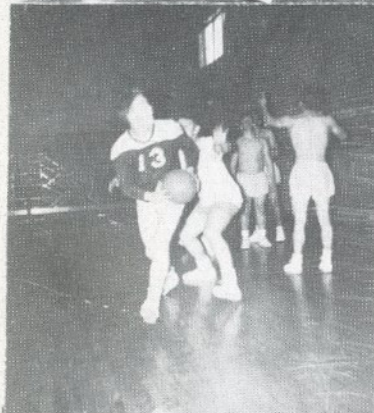
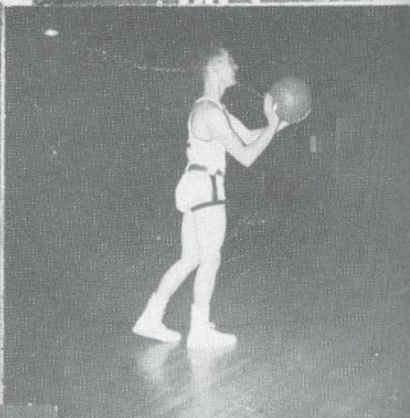
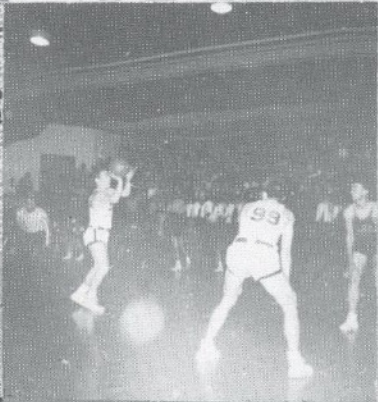
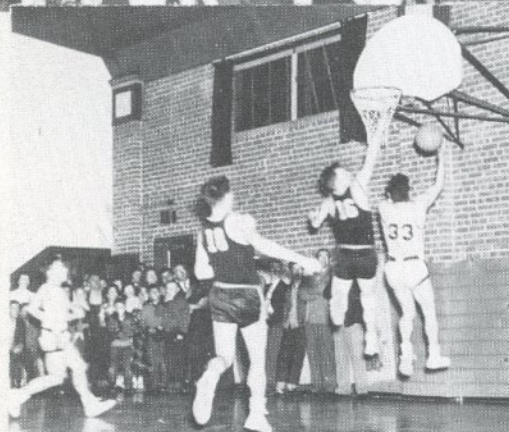


DINES

FIRST SECOND AND
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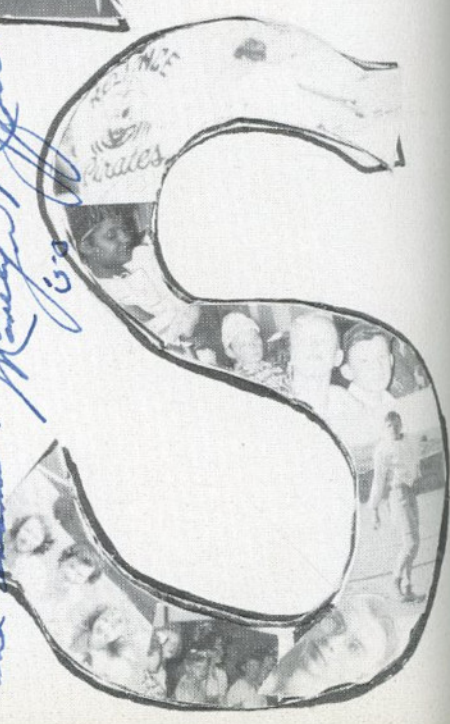
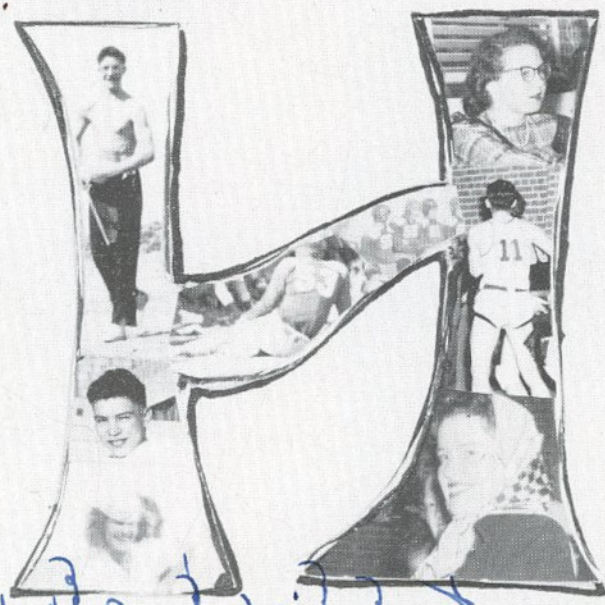


Dive
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Dear Mrs. Spence,
 You're so good awful
 popular I just couldn't find a
 place to write. Can't say
 that I blame all the kids
 though I've gained so much I
 could write epistles. Next
 year I'll be thinking of those
 niches each morning (which I
 walk) and all the good events
 - on everything! We'll be
 everything just? The best
 future; in your words
 and friends! (Crying) I just
 love you!



Dear Mrs. Spence,
 I'll remember you as
 my gym teacher. It was
 really fun. Remember all
 our conversations on the bus.
 (humorous and other wise. Best
 wishes to a wonderful
 teacher. a senior.
 Carl



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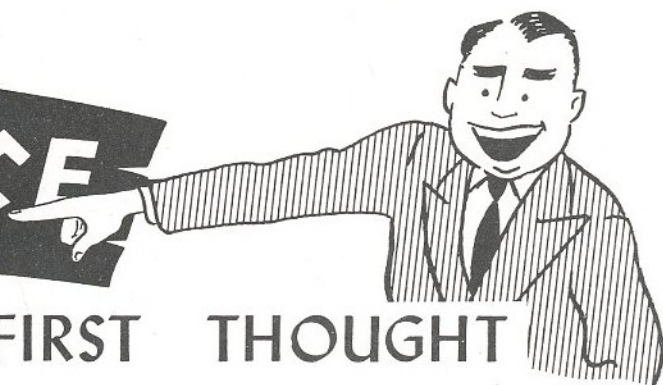
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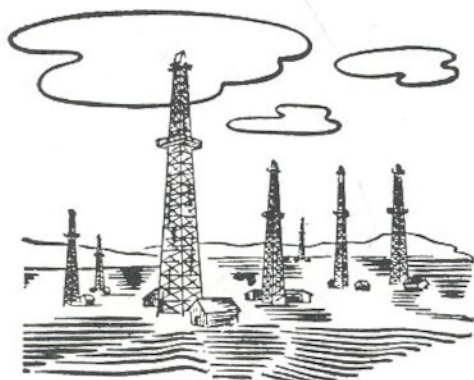
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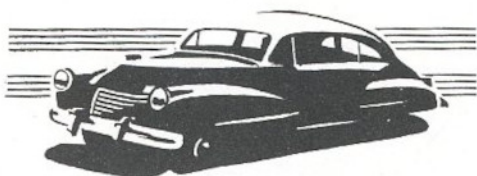
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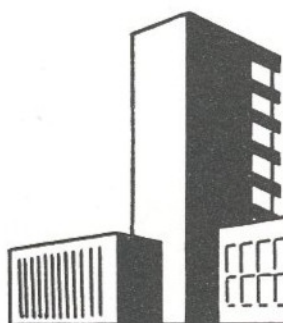
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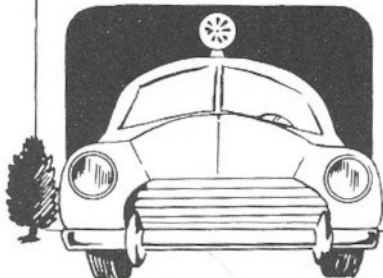
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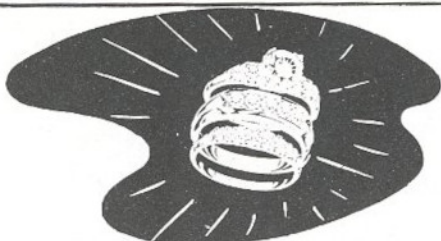


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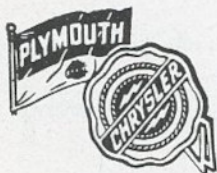
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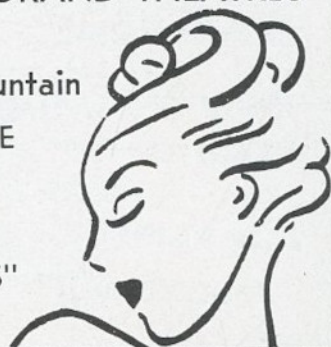


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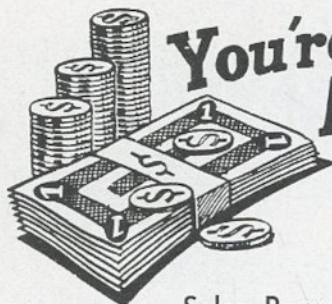


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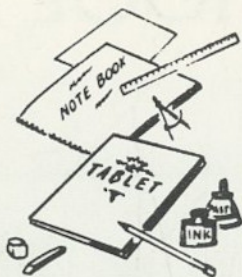
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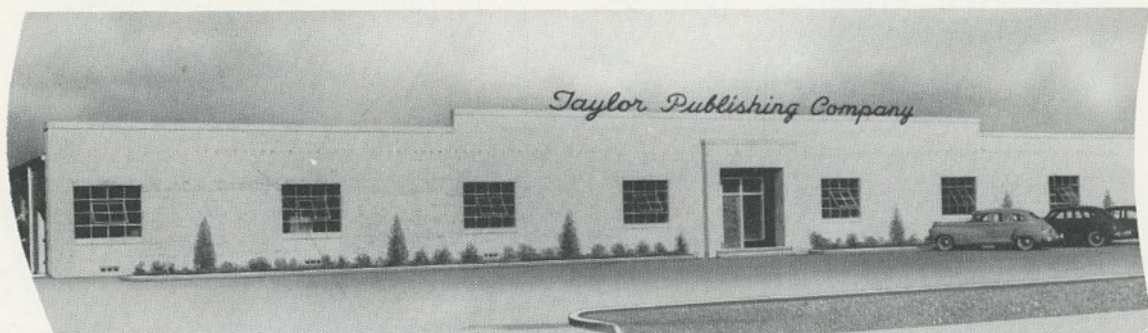
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Lots of luck
to a swell
study hall
teacher and
a keen
fortune-teller
Love
Dolores Raming
P.S. Remember
study hall.*

*I saw Mrs. Spence, loads of love,
& hope you stay
have many more
successful years
of teaching. We have
enjoyed having you
for our teacher very
much.
Love
Audene*

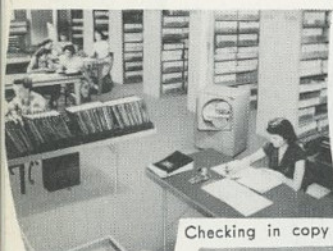
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I sure have enjoyed
you teaching me,
like you said we
can get along if
we try.*

*To good luck
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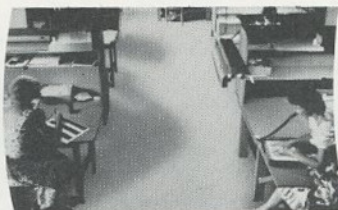
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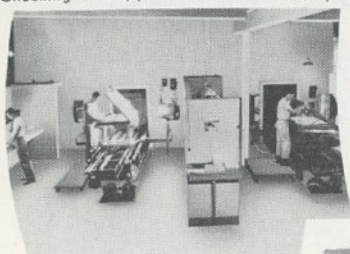
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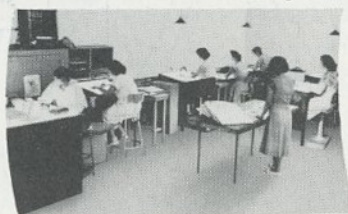
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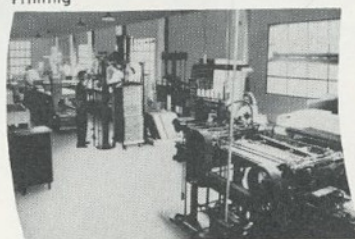
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because I usually get something
done - a friend
Laurie

Dear Mrs Spence,
There's wishing all
the luck in the world to
a very fine study hall
teacher. Hope I have you
again next year. A student,
Carrie

Good Luck
to a
good
teacher
John V

Ronald
Comstock

Dear Mrs. Spence
Best wishes to a pretty
good study hall teacher.
Golly but you have
my sympathy at times,
when you start bawling
some of these kids on
the side of the head you'll
be an excellent teacher
they need it, no kidding.
Glenda

Good Luck
to a teacher
Johnny

Dear Mrs. Spence,
I know some
of the things we
did in your study
hall weren't real
pleasing, but it's
been swell having
you as teacher - Penny

convinced
you know your work
is perfect
I hope you
will be a
great teacher
again
I hope you
will be a
great teacher
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great teacher
again

Dear Mrs Spence
There's wishing one of my
best teachers at R.H.S.
all the luck in the world to
you of teaching
Penny
Fortune

Mrs. Spence,
lots of luck to
my 1st grade teacher.
a student,
Ernie F.

Dear Mrs. Spence
I have enjoyed good luck to a
very much being good teacher
in your study
had, and your telling
my fortune. Even tho
I did talk all the
time. Always
Cornelia

Dear Mrs. Spence.
Here's wishing
the sweetest teacher
I've had, lots of luck &
success. Josephine, K.

Dear Mrs. Spence,
I'm wishing an
old friend more luck
and happiness through
out life.
Gene Branch

Dear Mrs. Spence
Here's to a good student
hall teacher that has
to get after me for
talking Patsy Kelly
"5501"

Dear Mrs. Spence,
Lots of Luck to the
best teacher I've ever
had. I learned a lot
from you. I hope I
see you next year
Best of wishes
Lyle
Lucas
Tucker

Mrs. Spence
It's been very
nice to have
you to have
and for gym
and study hall
hope you'll be
here next year
Mame P.

Here's good luck
to a very good
teacher
Johnny
Cezich

My friend, wish you
good luck & love
from your friend
Lucas & Lyle
I hope you'll be
happy & make
me proud to be
your teacher
To a very good
teacher
Mame P.

Dear Mrs. Spence
 I think you are
 the sweetest teacher
 on this side of my;
 I really enjoy having you
 as a teacher. good luck
 success in teaching a whole
 class of fallin'

Dear Mrs. Spence
 I have enjoyed
 working with you
 very much. wishing
 you much happiness
 in the future.
 Jack M. Smith

Dear Mrs. Spence,
 I think you're
 an awfully nice person
 (I've known you for
 an awfully long time)
 I really enjoy all the
 parties you have. the
 (I remember) always the
 class of 50.

Dear Mrs. Spence:
 I'm wishing lots of
 luck to the best
 teacher I have had
 while I have been in
 school.
 Robert Starrett

Dear Mrs. Spence
 We always enjoyed
 having you be one of
 my teachers & neighbors.
 We've had quite some
 experiences together
 happy, about the
 last year.
 Always
 E. Lyndall

To the best Teacher in school
 I am very glad you are my teacher.
 Luck Always
 Carol Head.

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 in the
 Luck & success
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 the sweetest teacher

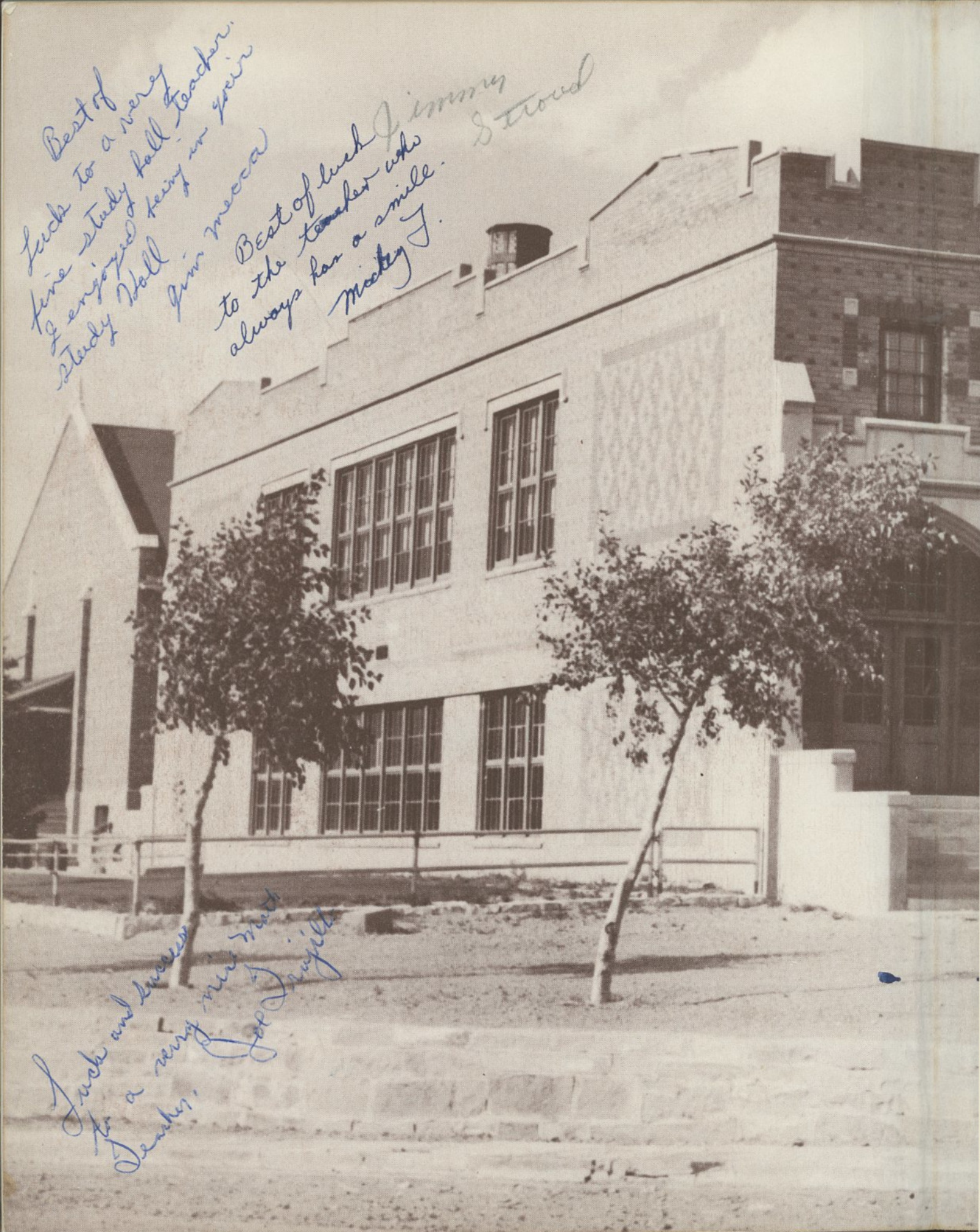
Dear Mrs. Spence
 I have enjoyed
 being in your class
 all my
 love my
 (I think)
 Goodbye.

Best of
luck to a very
fine study hall teacher
I enjoyed being in your
study hall
Jim mecca

Best of luck
to the teacher who
always has a smile.
Mickey J.

Jimmy
Stoud

Luck and success
to a very nice math
teacher.
Joe Fragile



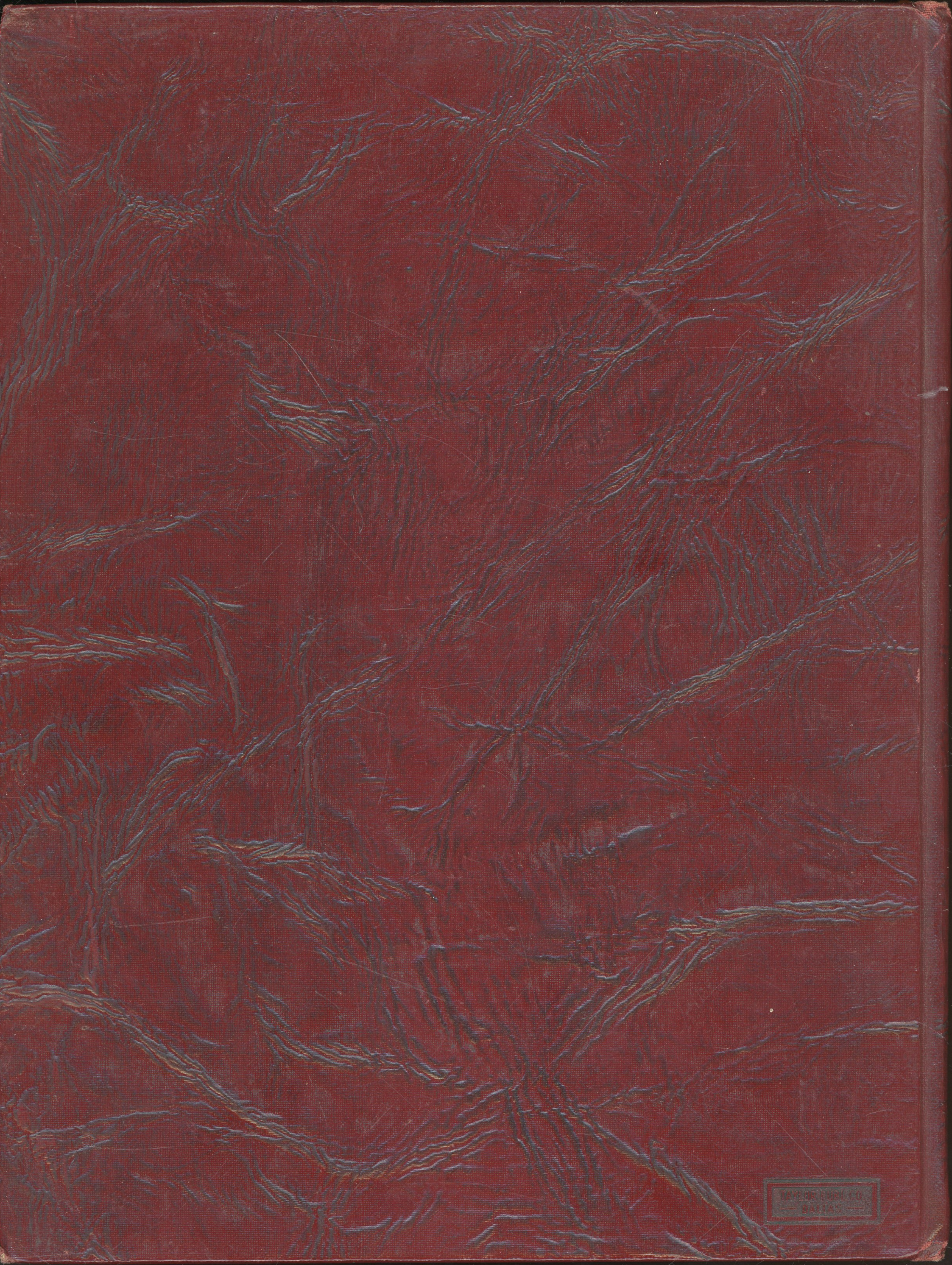
All the
high and
happiness
in the world
to my best
teacher.
Lynn Landrum

Carl
Nelson

Best of Luck
to a swell
teacher
here next year.
Larry W. Don M.
Lots of Luck
& happiness
& Hope your



Mrs. Jones, Luck
to the best of
the Kalamazoo
I could have
you for some
Lynn
"S.I."



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